

SIGLENVERZEICHNIS

ACO	Acta Conciliorum Oecumenicorum
ADSV	Antičnaja drevnost' i srednie veka
AJA	American Journal of Archaeology
AHC	Annuario Historiae Conciliorum
APF	Archiv für Papyrusforschung und verwandte Gebiete
BBA	Berliner Byzantinistische Arbeiten
BCH	Bulletin de Correspondance Hellénique
BF	Byzantinische Forschungen
BHG	Bibliotheca Hagiographica Graeca
BIFAO	Bulletin de l'Institut Français d'Archéologie Orientale (Cairo)
BKV	Bibliothek der Kirchenväter
BMGS	Byzantine and Modern Greek Studies
BNJ	Byzantinisch-Neugriechische Jahrbücher
BollGrott	Bollettino della Badia Greca di Grottaferrata
BSFN	Bulletin de la Société française de numismatique
BV	Byzantina Vindobonensia
Byz	Byzantion
BZ	Byzantinische Zeitschrift
CCSG	Corpus Christianorum Series Graeca
CFHB	Corpus Fontium Historiae Byzantinae
CIC	Corpus Iuris Civilis
CIG	Corpus Inscriptionum Graecarum
CIL	Corpus Inscriptionum Latinarum
CSEL	Corpus Scriptorum Ecclesiasticorum Latinorum
CSHB	Corpus Scriptorum Historiae Byzantinae
DA	Deutsches Archiv für die Erforschung des Mittelalters
DACL	Dictionnaire d'Archéologie Chrétienne et de Liturgie
DHGE	Dictionnaire d'histoire et de géographie ecclésiastiques
DOP	Dumbarton Oaks Papers
DOS	Dumbarton Oaks Studies
DOT	Dumbarton Oaks Texts
EB	Études Balkaniques
EEBΣ	Ἑπετηρίς Ἑταιρείας Βυζαντινῶν Σπουδῶν
EO	Échos d'Orient
FGH	Die Fragmente der griechischen Historiker
FIFAO	Fouilles de l'Institut Français d'Archéologie Orientale (Cairo)
GCS	Die griechischen christlichen Schriftsteller
GRBS	Greek, Roman and Byzantine Studies
HZ	Historische Zeitschrift
IG	Inscriptiones Graecae
JARCE	Journal of the American Research Center Egypt
JbAC	Jahrbuch für Antike und Christentum
JECS	Journal of Early Christian Studies
JHS	Journal of Hellenic Studies
JJurP	Journal of Juristic Papyrology
JÖB	Jahrbuch der Österreichischen Byzantinistik
JÖBG	Jahrbuch der Österreichischen Byzantinischen Gesellschaft
JRA	Journal of Roman Archaeology

JRS	Journal of Roman Studies
LMA	Lexikon des Mittelalters
LThK	Lexikon für Theologie und Kirche
MDAIK	Mitteilungen des Deutschen Archäologischen Institutes Kairo
MGH	Monumenta Germaniae Historica
MIÖG	Mitteilungen des Instituts für Österreichische Geschichtsforschung
MMB	Monumenta Musicae Byzantinae
OC	Orientalia Christiana
OCA	Orientalia Christiana Analecta
OCP	Orientalia Christiana Periodica
OrChrist	Oriens Christianus
PG	Patrologia Graeca
PL	Patrologia Latina
PLP	Prosopographisches Lexikon der Palaiologenzeit
PmbZ	Prosopographie der mittelbyzantinischen Zeit
PO	Patrologia Orientalis
PTS	Patristische Texte und Studien
RAC	Reallexikon für Antike und Christentum
RbK	Reallexikon zur byzantinischen Kunst
RE	Paulys Realencyclopädie der classischen Altertumswissenschaft
RÉArm	Revue des Études Arméniennes
RÉB	Revue des Études Byzantines
RÉG	Revue des Études Grecques
RÉSEE	Revue des Études Sud-Est-Européennes
RHT	Revue d'histoire des textes
RIDA	Revue internationale des droits de l'antiquité
ROC	Revue de l'Orient Chrétien
RömQ	Römische Quartalsschrift
RSBN	Rivista di Studi Bizantini e Neoellenici
SBN	Studi Bizantini e Neoellenici
SBS	Studies in Byzantine Sigillography
SC	Sources Chrétiennes
Script	Scriptorium
TIB	Tabula Imperii Byzantini
TM	Travaux et Mémoires
TRE	Theologische Realenzyklopädie
TU	Texte und Untersuchungen
VigChr	Vigiliae Christianae
VV	Vizantijskij Vremennik
WBS	Wiener Byzantinistische Studien
WSt	Wiener Studien
ZAC	Zeitschrift für Antikes Christentum
ZKG	Zeitschrift für Kirchengeschichte
ZPE	Zeitschrift für Papyrologie und Epigraphik
ZRVI	Zbornik Radova Vizantološkog Instituta

I. ABTEILUNG

DIE ARGUMENTATION DES PATRIARCHEN GREGORIOS II. KYPRIOS ZUR WIDERLEGUNG DES FILIOQUE-ANSATZES IN DER SCHRIFT *DE PROCESSIONE SPIRITUS SANCTI*

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Im Mittelpunkt dieser Untersuchung steht die dem Patriarchen Gregorios II. Kyprios fehlerhaft von J.-P. Migne zugewiesene Schrift *De processione spiritus sancti*. Diese erwies sich, den Ergebnissen der Erforschung von Ch. Sabbatos gemäß, als kein persönliches Werk des Kyprios, sondern als eine kompilierte Wiedergabe seines bis heute unedierten „Antirrhetikos gegen Bekkos“.¹ Nach Sabbatos soll sie nicht im Jahr 1289, sondern 1283 verfasst worden sein und soll seine erste theologische Abhandlung darstellen.² Sabbatos schließt sich auch der Ansicht von V. Laurent,³ M. Jugie,⁴ H.-G. Beck,⁵ M. Orphanos,⁶ G. Theodorudes⁷ und B. Pseutonkas⁸ an, wonach der in der Ausgabe von J.-

¹ Vgl. CH. SABBATOS, 'Ο ἀνέκδοτος «Ἀντιρρητικὸς κατὰ Βέκκου» λόγος τοῦ Πατριάρχῃ Γρηγορίου Β' τοῦ Κυπρίου καὶ τὸ «Περὶ ἐκπορεύσεως τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος» ἔργο του. *Theologia* 74 (2003) 155–197: 156. Zum Vergleich der beiden Schriften hat Sabbatos im Blick auf den edierten Text die Ausgabe von J.-P. Migne und in Bezug auf das Unedierte, den Text des Manuskripts der Bibliothek von Wien *Vidob. Theol. gr.* 245 berücksichtigt. Der Vergleich, den Sabbatos gezogen hat, findet sich auf der Seite 165 seiner Untersuchung.

² ebd. 156.

³ V. LAURENT, Theodore Mouzalon. *Dictionnaire de Théologie catholique* 10 (1929); DERS., *Bulletin critique: Catalogues des manuscrits grecs et textes byzantines. EO* 27 (1928) 448.

⁴ M. JUGIE, *Theologia dogmatica christianorum Orientalium ab Ecclesiae Catholica dissidentium*, II. Paris 1933, 365 Fußnote 3.

⁵ H.-G. BECK, *Kirche und Theologische Literatur im Byzantinischen Reich*. München 1959, 680.

⁶ M. ORPHANOS, Κωνσταντίνου Μελιτηνιώτου «Λόγοι ἀντιρρητικοὶ δύο». Athen 1986, 247 Fußnote 1.

⁷ G. THEODORUDES, Ἡ ἐκπόρευσις τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος κατὰ τοὺς συγγραφεῖς τοῦ ΙΓ' αἰῶνος. Thessalonike 1990, 129 Fußnote 68.

P. Migne vorliegende Abschnitt 290B–300B, der mit der Phrase eingeführt wird *εἴ τις προὔτεινεν ὅτι τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον ἐκ Πατρὸς δι' Υἱοῦ ἐκπορεύεται, καθὼς τισι τῶν ἁγίων εἴρηται εὐσεβῶς*, Teil des uneditierten Werkes des Theodoros Muzalon *κατὰ τῶν τοῦ Βέκκου βλασφημιῶν* sei.⁹ Auf diese Ergebnisse gestützt, beschränke ich meine Analyse auf die kritische Darstellung des Argumentationsganges des Patriarchen Gregorios Kyprios gemäß dem Text, der in den Paragraphen 269B bis 289B der Migne-Ausgabe geboten wird. Bevor ich mich einer ausführlichen Darstellung und kritischen Beurteilung des Gedankenganges zuwende, möchte ich eine kurze Gliederung des Werkes geben:

Prooimium. Deutliche Anspielung auf Bekkos, der, obwohl er einer umfangreichen Bildung teilhaftig ist, trotzdem in große Undeutlichkeit im Blick auf das Dogma geraten ist. (269B–C)

Darstellung der Problematik und Versuch den Beweis anzutreten, dass vom Hl. Geist gesagt werden kann, er sei aus der Usia des Sohnes, aber nicht aus seiner Hypostase. (269–274 A)

Bezugnahme auf Kyrill von Alexandrien besonders in Hinsicht auf sein Zitat „der Hl. Geist sei dem Sohne eigen“, das die Filioquisten seiner Zeit zur Begründung ihrer Ansichten aufgegriffen hatten. (274 A–277B)

Weitere Verdeutlichung des in Rede stehenden Zitats mit Bezugnahme auf Ps.-Dionysius Areopagita, Athanasius von Alexandrien, Basilius von Cäsarea, Gregor von Nyssa. (277B–279 A)

Verdeutlichung des Zitats Gregors von Nyssa: τὸ μὲν γὰρ προσεχῶς ἐκ τοῦ πρώτου, τὸ δὲ διὰ τοῦ προσεχῶς ἐκ τοῦ πρώτου. (279B–281B)

Bestimmung des Verhältnisses zwischen Theologia und Oikonomia und klare Kritik an jenen, die vom Letzteren auf Erstere sichere Rückschlüsse ziehen zu können glauben. (281B–284C)

Wie ist die sogenannte Mittlerschaft (μεσιτεία) des Sohnes zu deuten? Verdeutlichung anhand der Metapher des Sohnes und des Strahls. Unterscheidung zwischen Ausstrahlung (ἐκλαμψις) und Hervorbringung (ἐκπόρευσις). (284D–288 A)

Unterschied zwischen dem Hl. Geist als Hypostase und der Gabe des Geistes. Die Gabe des Geistes ist von den Würdigen teilhabbar, die Hypostase des Geistes hingegen nicht. Bezugnahme auf das Zitat des Ps.-Dionysius Areopagita „das Göttliche sei kraft seiner Mitteilungen teilhabbar“. (288 A–290B)

⁸ B. PSEUTONKAS, Στοιχεῖα ἐκκλησιαστικῆς γραμματολογίας μετ' ἀνθολόγιο πατερικῶν ἔργων. Thessalonike 1990, 128.

⁹ Vgl. Ch. SABBATOS, Ὁ ἀνέκδοτος «Ἀντιρρητικός» (wie oben Fußnote 1) 157. Mit Berufung auch auf M. OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de la Bibliothèque Nationale et des autres Bibliothèques de Paris et des Départements, I. Paris 19886, 257, 278 und V. LAURENT, Le métropolitain de Pergame Arsène, mélode et polémiste antilatin. *REB* 15 (1957) 123–130.

Nach der angebotenen Gliederung des Textes werde ich jetzt auf die analytische Darstellung des Argumentationsganges des Autors eingehen, mit der Absicht, den Sinn des in Rede Stehenden zu entdecken und zugleich ihn richtig auszulegen, sowie auch die Haltbarkeit und Stichhaltigkeit von Kyprios' Anliegen zu prüfen und mit den Ansichten seiner Gegner bzw. Bekkos zu konfrontieren.

Dies wird dem Leser helfen, sich in die theologische Problematik des 13. Jahrhunderts über die Filioque-Frage zu vertiefen und mehr Klarheit über die Argumente der im Streit befindlichen Seiten zu gewinnen. Obwohl einige Studien¹⁰ über die theologische Position des Kyprios im Blick auf den Hervorgang des Geistes vorhanden sind, fehlt trotzdem eine Arbeit, die ausschließlich der Analyse einer seiner Schriften gewidmet ist. Diesem Zweck dient meine Untersuchung und gilt als Fortsetzung meines vorangegangenen Versuches,¹¹ die theologische Position des Gegners des Kyprios', sc. Konstantin Melitiniotes in seinen „Zwei Antirrhetici“, in den Vordergrund zu stellen und sie kritisch zu beurteilen.

Im Prooimium der Schrift legt Kyprios die Problematik mit aller Deutlichkeit fest, indem er den von Bekkos erhobenen Vorwurf vorlegt: „Welcher Spruch (aus der Schrift oder aus der Tradition der Väter) hat uns je gelehrt, dass wir weder die Usia ohne Hypostase noch wiederum die Hypostase ohne die Usia verherrlichen, und obwohl wir vom allheiligen Geist sagen, er sei aus der Usia des Sohnes, zweifeln wir trotzdem daran, zu sagen, er sei auch aus der Hypostase (sc. des Sohnes). Und alles dieses beziehen wir auch auf den Vater, ohne uns zu weigern einen anderen als diesen zu verherrlichen, und sagen wir auch (vom Hl. Geist), er sei aus der Usia (des Vaters) und fügen noch hinzu, er sei auch aus seiner Hypostase“.¹²

¹⁰ Vgl. Vgl. D. WENDEBOURG, Geist oder Energie. Zur Frage der innergöttlichen Verankerung des christlichen Lebens in der byzantinischen Theologie. *Münchener Monographien zur historischen und systematischen Theologie*, 4. München 1980; THEODORIDES, Ἡ ἐκπόρευσις (wie oben Fußnote 7); CH. SABBATOS, Ἡ θεολογικὴ ὁρολογία καὶ προβληματικὴ τῆς πνευματολογίας Γρηγορίου Β' τοῦ Κυπρίου. Katerini 1997; A. RIEBE, Rom in Gemeinschaft mit Konstantinopel. Patriarch Johannes XI. Bekkos als Verteidiger der Kirchenunion von Lyon (1274). *Mainzer Veröffentlichungen zur Byzantinistik*, 8. Wiesbaden 2005.

¹¹ TH. ALEXOPOULOS, Der Ausgang des Thearchischen Geistes. Eine Untersuchung der Filioque-Frage anhand Photios' „Mystagogie“, Konstantin Melitiniotes „Zwei Antirrhetici“ und Augustins „De Trinitate“. Göttingen 2009.

¹² PG 142, 269C: τίς ποτε, φησί, λόγος, οὐσίαν μὲν μὴ δοξάζειν ἀνυπόστατον, μὴδ' αὖ ὑπόστασιν ἀνούσιον, λέγοντας δὲ ὁμῶς τὸ πανάγιον Πνεῦμα ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας τοῦ Υἱοῦ, μὴ λέγειν ἐθέλειν καὶ ἐκ τῆς ὑποστάσεως, καὶ ταῦτα ἐπὶ τοῦ Πατρὸς μὴδ'

Der Kernpunkt des vorliegenden Zitats dreht sich um die folgende wichtige Frage: Warum man nicht behaupten kann, obwohl der Begriff der Usia ohne den der Hypostase zu denken ist¹³ und umgekehrt (der Begriff der Hypostase kann nie ohne den der Usia gedacht werden, denn jede Hypostase wird in ihrer eigenen Usia betrachtet, d. h. sie ist ἐνοούσιος)¹⁴ und obwohl wiederum vom Hl. Geist gesagt wird, er sei aus der Usia und aus der Hypostase des Vaters, nicht behaupten kann, dass der Geist nicht nur der Usia des Sohnes, sondern auch seiner Hypostase entstammt! Die Frage gewinnt noch mehr an Plausibilität, wenn man den Einwand des Konstantin Melitiniotes in seinem ersten Antirrheticus gegen Kyprios in Erwägung zieht, nämlich dass er (sc. Kyprios) die Usia von der Hypostase absondere, indem er die Unterscheidung zwischen τῷ λόγῳ τῆς φύσεως (dem Bestimmungsgrund der Natur) und τῷ λόγῳ τῆς Ὑποστάσεως (dem Bestimmungsgrund der Hypostase) ins Feld führte.¹⁵ Dieser Grundunterscheidung, die auf die kappadozischen Kirchenväter zurückzuführen ist,¹⁶ begegnet man in den Schriften des Photius, und sie ist im Rahmen der Unterscheidung zwischen dem Gemeinsamen (κοινόν) und Eigentümlichen (ἴδιον) zu verstehen: αἴτιος ὁ Πατήρ τῶν ἐξ αὐτοῦ, οὐ τῷ λόγῳ τῆς φύσεως, τῷ δὲ λόγῳ τῆς ὑπο-

ἕτερον δοξάζειν ἀναινομένους, ἀλλὰ καὶ ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας λέγοντας καὶ ἐκ τῆς ὑποστάσεως προστιθεμένους.

¹³ Vgl. Konstantin Melitiniotes, *Antirr.* I f.108v (191, 9–13 ORPHANOS): Ἡμεῖς τριάδα τὴν Θεότητα μόνην πρεσβεύοντες, οὐ τετράδα, σέβομεν τὸν Πατέρα, τελείαν ἐνυπόστατον οὐσίαν· σέβομεν τὸν Υἱόν, τελείαν ἐνυπόστατον οὐσίαν· σέβομεν τελείαν ἐνυπόστατον οὐσίαν, τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον.

¹⁴ Vgl. Georgios Metochites, *Historia Dogmatica*, in: *Novae Patrum bibliothecae*, ed. J. COZZA-LUZI, VIII. Rom 1871, II 46, 209: μίαν Πατρὸς φαμεν καὶ Υἱοῦ οὐσίαν, αὐτὸν ἐντεῦθεν κηρύττοντες τὸν Πατέρα ἐνυπόστατον καὶ ἐνοούσιον, αὐτὸν τὸν Υἱὸν ὡσάντως.

¹⁵ Konstantin Melitiniotes, *Antirrheticus* I f. 112v (200, 18–201, 4 ORPHANOS): Ἀμέλει πρεσβεύομεν τοῦτον αἴτιον καὶ τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος τῷ λόγῳ τῆς φύσεως, καὶ τῷ λόγῳ τῆς ὑποστάσεως, οὔτε τῷ λόγῳ τῆς φύσεως μόνῳ, κατὰ τὴν ψευδεπίπλαστον τοῦ ματαίου διαβολήν, οὔτε τῷ λόγῳ τῆς ὑποστάσεως μόνῳ, κατὰ τὴν τοῦ φρενοβλαβοῦς κακίστην ὑπόληψιν. Οὕτω γὰρ δοξάζον αὐτό (sc. τὸ κύπριον κακόν), πράγματι διαιρεῖ τὴν φύσιν καὶ τὴν ὑπόστασιν, ὅπερ ἀπηγόρευσε πᾶς τῶν ἁγίων ὁ σύλλογος, ἢ πάλιν δυσσεβῶς ἐπινοίᾳ τοῦ Πνεύματος πρεσβεύει τὴν ὑπαρξιν. Vgl. Ioannes Beccus, *Refutatio libri Georgii Cyprii* 2, 6. *PG* 141, 901D: Εἰ γάρ, ὡς ὁ κενοφωνῶν διατείνεται, ἡ οὐσία τῆς ὑποστάσεως ἐν τῷ τῆς αἰτίας λόγῳ διήρηται, καὶ κατ' ἄλλον μὲν τὸν λόγον τῇ μακαρίᾳ Τριάδι τὸ ὁμοούσιον, κατ' ἄλλον δὲ τὸ αἴτιον καὶ αἰτιατόν ἐστι, τὸ αἰτιατόν καὶ ὁμοούσιον διαιρεθήσονται· καὶ ταῦτα διαιρεθέντα καὶ τὴν Τριάδα συνδιαιρήσουσιν, οὐχ ἣν διαίρεσιν κατὰ τὴν εὐσεβῆ αὕτη ἔχει ὁμολογίαν, ἀλλὰ καινὴν τινα καὶ ἀλλόκοτον ἄλλην.

¹⁶ Basilus, *Epistula* 38 (I 82, 26 COURTONNE), *PG* 32, 328 A; ebd. (I 83, 26), 328C.

στάσεως.¹⁷ (Der Vater ist Verursacher der ihm Entstammten, nicht unter dem Bestimmungsgrund der Natur, sondern unter dem Bestimmungsgrund der Hypostase). Dabei präzisiert Photius, wie diese Unterscheidung richtig zu deuten ist: οὐ κατατέμνων τῇ τῶν ὑποστάσεων ἑτερότητι καὶ τὴν φύσιν ..., ἀλλὰ τῇ ταυτότητι τῆς φύσεως τὴν τῶν ὑποστάσεων διαφορὰν δοξάζω.¹⁸ (In der Verschiedenheit der Hypostasen zerschneide ich nicht auch die Natur ..., sondern in der Identität der Natur verherrliche ich den Unterschied zwischen den Hypostasen).

Aus dieser Unterscheidung zwischen dem λόγος τῆς φύσεως, und dem λόγος τῆς ὑποστάσεως resultiert hingegen gemäß Bekkos und Melitiniotes eine Trennung zwischen Usia und Hypostase, die in der Überlieferung nicht bezeugt ist. Wenn die Usia von der Hypostase nicht abzutrennen ist, warum ist dann die Behauptung, dass der Hl. Geist aus der Usia und auch aus der Hypostase des Sohnes sei, nicht stichhaltig?

Kyprios fühlt sich also schon am Anfang der Schrift herausgefordert, sich mit dieser subtilen Frage auseinanderzusetzen und eine überzeugende Antwort zu liefern. Zuerst macht Kyprios dem Leser auf das trinitarische Dogma aufmerksam. Was im Glauben verehrt wird, ist eine Einzigkeit (μονάδα) in Dreiheit (ἐν Τριάδι) aufgrund der Identität und Gleichwertigkeit der Natur, der Einheit der Usia, der Identität, hinsichtlich der Bewegung, der Macht, der Wirkung, und aufgrund der in absoluter Übereinstimmung mit sich selbst befindenen Einzigkeit.¹⁹ Vielmehr das, was verehrungswürdig ist, ist das erste Eine (πρῶτον ἓν) und das Eine an sich als Quelle jedes Einen und als das einzige Eine (μόνον ἓν), das in Hinsicht auf die Eigentümlichkeiten und die Hypostase als Dreiheit in Erscheinung tritt.²⁰ Diese Dreiheit stellt den Vater, den Sohn und den Hl. Geist dar. Der Vater ist Erzeuger (γεννήτωρ) und Hervorbringer (προβολεύς), ohne Leidenschaft und zeitlos, der Sohn ist das Gezeugte (γέννημα) und der Geist das Hervorgebrachte (πρόβλημα).²¹

Es gibt drei absolut vollkommene an sich selbst existierende Hypostasen, die auf unteilhabbare und ungetrennte Weise in der Identität der

¹⁷ Photius, *Mystagogia* 15, *PG* 101, 293AB.

¹⁸ Epistula 288, in: Photii Patriarchae Constantinopolitani Epistulae et Amphilochia, ed. B. LAOURDAS / L. G. WESTERINK. Leipzig 1985, Bd. III, 117, 79–81. Dazu siehe auch P. GEMEINHARDT, Die Filioque-Kontroverse zwischen Ost- und Westkirche im Frühmittelalter. *Arbeiten zur Kirchengeschichte*, 82. Berlin 2002, 293.

¹⁹ *PG* 142, 270B.

²⁰ *PG* 142, 270B.

²¹ *PG* 142, 270B.

Usia teilhabbar sind.²² Die Drei sind ein Gott, weil es eine Gottheit gibt. Man bekennt in der seligen Natur die Einheit im Blick auf das Wesen und zugleich das Dreifache in Bezug auf die Hypostasen²³, ohne dass das Ungetrennte und Unteilbare der Usia aufgrund der Zahl der Hypostasen zerstört wird und wiederum das Dreifache der Hypostasen aufgrund dessen in Vermischung gerät.²⁴ Denn einerseits könnte die Usia keinen Anteil an den drei Charakteren erhalten, weil sie wahrhaft eine ist, andererseits könnten die Hypostasen aufgrund der Einheit der Usia keine Einschränkung oder Verminderung bei sich zulassen, und auf eine kleinere Zahl als der der Drei übergehen.²⁵

Aus dem bisher Gesagten gewinnt man in erster Linie den Eindruck, dass Kyprios jeden sabellianischen Verdacht von einer Person, die in drei Erscheinungsweisen auftritt, in Bezug auf die Gottheit kategorisch zurückweisen beabsichtigt. Deshalb spricht er von drei Hypostasen, die hinsichtlich ihrer Besonderheit (für den Vater das Zeugen, für den Sohn das Gezeugtsein, für den Geist das Hervorgebrachtsein) unterschieden sind. Hier steht ohne Zweifel im Hintergrund das Kappadozische trinitarische Modell. Diesem Modell gemäß besteht die Selbigkeit und Einheit der drei Hypostasen in ihrer Substanz (οὐσία), welche das Gemeinsame in der Gottheit darstellt.²⁶ Zweitens wird die Unterscheidung zwischen Eigenschaften des Wesens, wie z. B. Macht, Bewegung, Wirkung und Eigenschaften, die einer einzelnen Person ausschließlich (Zeugung, Hervorgang) zuzuweisen sind, angedeutet. Dieses Element ist wiederum auf die Kappadozische Trinitätstheologie zurückzuführen. Dieser Theologie gemäß sind die sogenannten hyposta-

²² PG 142, 270B.

²³ PG 142, 270C.

²⁴ PG 142, 270C: μήτε τῷ τῶν ὑποστάσεων ἀριθμῷ ἀτόμῳ καὶ ἀμερεὶ τῆς οὐσίας λυμαιομένους, μήτ' αὖ διὰ τοῦτο τὸ τῶν ὑποστάσεων τριαδικὸν συγγέοντα.

²⁵ PG 142, 270C: Καὶ γὰρ οὔτε συμμερίζοιτο ἂν τοῖς χαρακτηῖσιν ἡ ἀνωτάτω οὐσία, ἀληθῶς μία καὶ κυρίως ὑπάρχουσα, οὔτε μὴν αἱ ὑποστάσεις διὰ τὸ ἐν τῆς οὐσίας συστολῇν δεχόμεναι, εἰς ἀριθμὸν ἐλάττονα τῶν τριῶν ἀναχωροῖεν.

²⁶ Vgl. Gregorius Nyssenus, *Ad Graecos* (Ex communibus notionibus), ed. F. MUELLER, Leiden 1958 (*GNO* I 21, 7–10. 17–18): καίπερ ἐνούσιον εἰδότες τῶν προσώπων ἕκαστον, ἓνα δικαίως καὶ ἀκολούθως φαμέν θεόν, εἰ καὶ τῶν προσώπων ἕκαστον θεὸν εἶναι πιστεύομεν, διὰ τὸ κοινὸν τῆς οὐσίας. ...ἔστι δὲ ταυτότης τῶν προσώπων κατὰ τὴν οὐσίαν· μονὰς ἄρα αὐτῶν κατὰ τὴν οὐσίαν. (Obwohl wir sehr wohl wissen, dass jede einzelne Person ihre eigene Substanz besitzt, bekennen wir folglich und mit Recht einen Gott, selbst wenn wir glauben, dass jede einzelne Person aufgrund der Gemeinsamkeit der Substanz Gott ist ... Es besteht Selbigkeit der Personen hinsichtlich ihrer Substanz, also besteht ihre Einheit hinsichtlich ihrer Substanz). Vgl. auch Gregorius Nazianzenus, Or. 39, 11 (SC 358, 170, 12–172, 21 MORESCHINI).

tischen Eigentümlichkeiten absolut unübertragbar-unkommunizierbar (ἀκοινώνητα)²⁷. Werden die Besonderheiten der Personen nicht bewahrt, kommt es zur Vermischung der Gottheit.²⁸

Der Anschluss an die kappadozische Trinitätslehre ist wiederum (in einem dritten Fall) an der Bezeichnung der Hypostasen als Eigenschaften (ιδιότητες) erkennbar. Diese Bezeichnung ist vor allem bei Gregor von Nazianz häufig bezeugt.²⁹ Das soll aber keineswegs zu der Abwegigkeit (wie bei den Gegnern des Kyprios der Fall ist)³⁰ führen, dass die Namen der göttlichen Hypostasen und nicht ihre Besonderheiten, welche auf verschiedene Existenzweisen verweisen, als Hauptkriterium für die Unterscheidung (διάκρισις) innerhalb der Trinität anzusetzen sind. Die Verlagerung des Schwerpunkts von der ἀγεννησία, γέννησις und ἐκπορεύσις auf die Namen der göttlichen Hypostasen findet keine Begründung (in dem Sinn, wie die Filioquisten meinen) bei den Vätern. So heißt es bei Gregor von Nazianz: ἴδιον δὲ τοῦ πατρὸς μὲν ἢ ἀγεννήσια, Υἱοῦ δὲ ἢ γέννησις, πνεύματος δὲ ἢ ἐκπεμψις (Eigenschaft des Vaters ist das Ungezeugtsein, des Sohnes das Gezeugtsein, des Geistes dagegen das Ausgesandtsein).³¹

Ein weiteres viertes Element, das nicht außer Acht gelassen werden dürfte, ist das Festhalten des Kyprios an der neunizänischen Vorstellung der unvermischten Einheit (ἀσύγχυτος ἕνωσις), welche Dreiheit und Einheit in Gott im Gegensatz zu Sabellius, der die Eigentümlichkeiten der Hypostasen vermengt, und zu Arius, der sie auseinanderreißt,³²

²⁷ Vgl. Gregorius Nyssenus, *Contra Eunonium* I 277 (*GNO* I, 107, 17–22 JAEGER): ἀλλ' ἐν ἁκρᾷ τῇ τελειότητι καὶ ἐν ἀκαταλήπτῳ τῇ ὑπεροχῇ θεωρουμένη, τοῖς ἐνυπάρχουσιν ἐκάστη τῶν ὑποστάσεων ἰδιώμασιν ἀσύγχυτον καὶ διακεκριμένην τὴν διαφορὰν ἔχει, ἐν μὲν τῇ κατὰ τὸ ἄκτιστον κοινωνίᾳ τὸ ἀπαράλλακτον ἔχουσα, ἐν δὲ τοῖς ἐξαιρέτοις τῶν ιδιωμάτων ἐκάστου τὸ ἀκοινώνητον.

²⁸ Vgl. Gregorius Nazianzenus, *Or.* 31,29 (*SC* 250, 332, 8–11 GALLAY): Τί δὲ οὐ προσαγορεύεται ὢν θεός, πλὴν ἀγεννησίας καὶ γεννήσεως; Ἔδει γὰρ τὰς ιδιότητας μείναι Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ, ἵνα μὴ σύγχυσις ἢ παρὰ θεότητι, τῇ καὶ τᾶλλα εἰς τάξιν ἀγοῦση καὶ εὐκοσμίαν.

²⁹ Vgl. *Or.* 31,28 (*SC* 250, 330, 3 GALLAY). Vgl. auch: *De dogmate et constitutione episcoporum*, *PG* 35, 1072,2; *In sancta Lumina*, *PG* 36, 345,41.

³⁰ Vgl. Joh. Bekkos, *Ad Theodorum Sugdeae*, 2,7, *PG* 141, 320CD; *De unione ecclesiarum*, 15, *PG* 141, 51B–D.

³¹ *Or.* 25,16 (*SC* 284, 198, 28–30 MOSSAY). Vgl. auch *Or.* 31,8 (*SC* 250, 290, 16–18 GALLAY). Vgl. auch Cyrillus Alexandrinus, *De Trinitate* 9, *PG* 77, 1140D: τῆς ἀγεννησίας, καὶ τῆς γεννήσεως, καὶ τῆς ἐκπορεύσεως· ἐν ταύταις γὰρ μόναις ταῖς ὑποστατικαῖς ιδιότησι διαφέρουσιν ἀλλήλων αἱ ἁγίαί τρεῖς ὑποστάσεις.

³² Vgl. Gregorius Nyssenus, *Contra Eunonium* I 499 (*GNO* I, 270, 20–27 JAEGER): ὡς ἂν, οἶμαι, διὰ τῶν εἰρημένων τῆς ἐφ' ἐκάτερα τῶν αἰρέσεων παρατροπῆς ὁ τῆς πίστεως καθαρεῦσι λόγος, μήτε τοῦ Σαβελλίου χώραν ἔχοντος εἰς σύγχυσιν ἄγειν

kompatibel miteinander denkt. Das Dreifache der Hypostasen verursacht keine Spaltung oder Teilung der Substanz.³³ Anders gesagt: Die διάκρισις der Hypostasen beschädigt nicht das ἀσυγχύτως, der Substanz nach vereinigt (κοινωνεῖν), der Hypostase nach unterschieden (διαίρειν). Das Einheitliche wiederum der Substanz führt nicht zu einer Zusammenschüttung oder Vermengung der Drei.³⁴

Wenn also das Einheitliche der Usia nicht auf die Hypostasen zu übertragen ist und wenn wiederum das Dreifache der Hypostasen nicht dem Wesen zuzuweisen ist, da die Zahl „drei“ nicht als eine konventionelle Zahl zu denken ist, die auf drei getrennte Teile oder Einheiten hinweist, dann ist es völlig annehmbar zu sagen, dass der Hl. Geist auch aus dem Wesen des Sohnes, wie aus dem des Vaters ist.³⁵ Denn dieses ist eines und kann nie eine Teilung-Dihairese in sich aufnehmen. Hätte es bei sich eine Teilung zugelassen, dann könnte auf keinen Fall der Begriff des Einen in ihm gewahrt bleiben. Damit der Begriff des Einen nicht aufgehoben wird, gibt es keine Dihairese, keine Vielheit, keinen Unterschied.³⁶ Wenn also das Wesen absolut eines und unteilbar ist, dann ist es legitim zu behaupten, dass der Hl. Geist, von dem man bekennt, er sei aus dem Wesen des Vaters, auch aus dem Wesen des Sohnes existiert.³⁷ Dieses aber dürfte uns auf keinen Fall zu der Schlussfolgerung verführen, dass der Geist aus der Hypostase des Sohnes ist, selbst wenn von ihm (dem Geist) gesagt wird, dass er aus der Hypostase und aus dem Wesen des Vaters ist.³⁸ Man kann also nach dem syllogistischen

τὴν τῶν ὑποστάσεων ιδιότητα, φανερώς τοῦ μονογενοῦς ἑαυτὸν ἀπὸ τοῦ πατρὸς διακρίναντος ἐν τῷ εἰπεῖν „Ἐγὼ καὶ ὁ πατὴρ ἐν ἑσμεν“, μήτε τοῦ Ἀρείου τὸ ξένον τῆς φύσεως κατασκευάζειν ἰσχύοντος, τῆς ἀμφοτέρων ἐνότητος οὐ προσιεμένης τὴν κατὰ φύσιν διαίρεσιν. Ebenso vgl. *Contra Eunonium* II 38/39 (237, 18–21) und III/8 23 (*GNO* II, 247, 8–10).

³³ Vgl. Gregorius Nyssenus, *Contra Eunonium* I 503 (*GNO* I, 172, 1–3 JAEGER): ... ἀλλὰ φυλλάσσοντες μὲν διηρημένην τὴν τῶν ὑποστάσεων ιδιότητα, οὐ συνδιαίρουντες δὲ τοῖς προσώποις τὴν τῆς οὐσίας ἐνότητα.

³⁴ Vgl. Gregorius Nazianzenus, *Or.* 21,13 (*SC* 258, 136, 16 MOSSAY/LAFONTAINE): οὕτε τῷ ἐνὶ συγχέας, οὕτε τοῖς τρισὶ διαστήσας.

³⁵ *PG* 142, 270C: Ἐπεὶ δὲ οὕτω, παντὶ που δῆλον ὡς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας λεγόμενον τοῦ Πατρὸς, καλῶς ἂν ἔχη καὶ εὐσεβῶς καὶ ἐκ τῆς τοῦ Υἱοῦ λέγεσθαι.

³⁶ *PG* 142, 270CD: Μία γάρ, καὶ ὡς οὐσία οὐκ ἔστιν ὅπως ποτὲ διαίρεσιν δέχεται. Εἰ δὲ δέχοιτο, καὶ πληθύνοιτο, καὶ πῶς ἄρα τὸ ἐν αὐτῇ κατὰ πάντα λόγον καὶ τρόπον σωθήσεται; Ἴν' οὖν μὴ ἀναιρηθῇ τὸ ἐν, διαίρεσις οὐδεμία κατ' οὐσίαν, οὐδὲ διαφορά, οὐδὲ πλήθος.

³⁷ *PG* 142, 270D–271 A: Διότι δὲ μία (scil. ἡ οὐσία), τὸ ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας ὁμολογούμενον τοῦ Πατρὸς Πνεῦμα, καὶ ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας τοῦ Υἱοῦ ὑπάρχουν ὁμολογεῖται.

³⁸ *PG* 142, 271A: Πλὴν οὐ διὰ τοῦτ' ἤδη καὶ ἐκ τῆς τοῦ Υἱοῦ ὑποστάσεως τὸ Πνεῦμα κἂν ὅτι μάλιστα καὶ ἐκ τῆς ὑποστάσεως καὶ τῆς οὐσίας λέγεται τοῦ Πατρὸς.

Vorgehen des Kyprios auf die Existenz des Geistes aus dem Wesen des Sohnes, aber nicht aus seiner Hypostase schließen. Für eine solche Feststellung liefert uns Kyprios eine dreifache Begründung: Erstens kann man nicht sagen, dass der Geist aus der Hypostase des Sohnes ist, da die väterliche Hypostase die ursprüngliche (πηγαία θεότης),³⁹ die einzige gotterzeugende Gottheit (θεογόνος θεότης), die einzige Quelle der ganzen Gottheit ist, welche das Ursachesein im vollkommenen Maße besitzt.⁴⁰ Indem Sohn und Geist beide aus dieser einzigen Quelle, der Eine durch Zeugung, der andere durch Hervorgehen ihre Existenz erlangen, sind beide desselben Wesens (ὁμοουσία) mit dem Vater und miteinander.⁴¹ Beide besitzen ein und denselben Bestimmungsgrund des Seins,⁴² weil beide dem Vater als einem natürlichen Grund und Ursprung wesensmäßig entstammen.⁴³ Aus dem Gedankengang des Kyprios ergeben sich bis zu diesem Punkt folgende Beobachtungen, die man nicht außer Acht lassen darf:

a) Die Hypostase des Vaters wird als die einzige Quelle der Gottheit hervorgehoben. Dabei läßt sich ein unerschütterliches Festhalten des Kyprios an der vorausgehenden Tradition der Kirchenväter, welche mit aller Deutlichkeit und Konsequenz die Alleinursprünglichkeit⁴⁴ des

³⁹ PG 142, 271A.

⁴⁰ PG 142, 271B: μόνη πηγή της ὅλης θεότητος καὶ θεογόνος θεότης ἡ τοῦ Πατρὸς ὑπόστασις κηρύττεται παρ' ἡμῖν καὶ αὐτὴν τὸ Πνεῦμα ἐπίσης τῷ Υἱῷ πεπλούτηκεν αἴτιον. Die Bezeichnung des Vaters als Quelle (πηγή), Ursprungs (ἀρχή), Wurzel (ρίζα) [271 A] läßt sich von entsprechenden plotinischen Ausdrücken zur Aufzeugung des Einen als des einzigen Urgrundes, dem alles entstammt, besser verstehen. Vgl. Plotinus, Enneades III 8, 10 (4. 10–11 HENRY/SCHWYZER).

⁴¹ PG 142, 271A: τὰ δ' ἐκείθεν (ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς) ἔχοντα τὸ εἶναι, ὁ μὲν Υἱὸς κατὰ γέννησιν, τὸ δὲ Πνεῦμα κατ' ἐκπόρευσιν. Διὰ τὸ τοῦτ' εἶναι καὶ αὐτὰ κατ' οὐσίαν ὅπερ ὁ Πατήρ, καὶ τὸν αὐτὸν καὶ ἓνα λόγον ἔχειν τοῦ εἶναι, ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας λέγονται τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ ὁμοουσία τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ ἀλλήλοις.

⁴² S. oben Fußnote 41.

⁴³ PG 142, 271 A: τῷ μὲν Πατρὶ ὅτι οὐσιωδῶς ἐκείθεν ὡς ἐκ φυσικῆς ἀρχῆς καὶ αἰτίας, ἀλλήλοις δέ, ὅτι, τὰ τῷ αὐτῷ ταυτὰ καὶ ἀλλήλοις ταυτὰ.

⁴⁴ Vgl. Basilios, Homilia Contra Sabellianos, PG 31, 609B: ἔστι μὲν γὰρ ὁ Πατήρ, τέλειον ἔχων τὸ εἶναι καὶ ἀνεκδέες, ρίζα καὶ πηγή τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος; ep. 125, 3 (II 34, 29–30 COURTONE); Gregorius Nazianzenus, Or 29, 2 (SC 250, 178, 6–7 GALLAY): ἡμῖν δὲ μοναρχία τὸ τιμώμενον; Or 34, 10 (SC 318, 216, 13–14 MORESCHINI): πάντα ὅσα ἔχει ὁ Πατήρ, τοῦ Υἱοῦ ἐστὶ, πλὴν τῆς αἰτίας; Or 42, 15 (SC 384, 82, 17–18 BERNARDI): ἐνωσις δὲ ὁ Πατήρ, ἐξ οὗ καὶ πρὸς δὴν ἀνάγεται τὰ ἐξῆς; Gregorius Nyssenus, Ad Graecos (GNO III/1, 25, 4–8 MUELLER): «ἐν γὰρ πρόσωπον καὶ τὸ αὐτό, τοῦ Πατρὸς, ἐξ οὗ καὶ ὁ Υἱὸς γεννᾶται καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον ἐκπορεύεται· διὸ δὴ καὶ κυρίως τὸν ἓνα αἴτιον μετὰ τῶν αὐτοῦ αἰτιατῶν ἓνα θεὸν φαμεν τεθαυρηκότως»; Dionysius Areopagita, De divinis nominibus. II, 5 (PTS 33, 128, 11–12 SUCHLA): μόνη δὲ πηγή τῆς ὑπερουσίου

Vaters als konstitutives Element des trinitarischen Dogmas verteidigt hat, erkennen. Die Hervorhebung des Vaters zum einzigen Urgrund dient dazu, den höchstmöglichen Einheitsgrad innerhalb der Trinität sicherzustellen. Der Vater stellt den Bezugspunkt, in dem sich die beiden Verursachten vereinigen, dar.⁴⁵ Wäre die gemeinsame Usia der Bezugs-Vereinigungspunkt der drei Hypostasen, dann wäre sie als ein viertes Element⁴⁶ in der Gottheit, d.h. als eine „deutera Usia“ im aristotelischen Sinne gedacht.

Des Weiteren hat die Betrachtung der Person des Vaters als eines absoluten grundlosen Urgrundes und seine Erhebung zum Einheits- und zugleich Unterscheidungsträgers in der Trinität feste Grundlagen im antiken (neuplatonischen) Denken: Der absolute Ursprung ist der Auffassung Plotins nach an sich der Grund jeder Vielheit. Es muss einen unbegründeten, von seinem Prinzipiierten unabhängigen Ursprung geben, auf den alles Begründete zurückzuführen ist. Die henologische Reduktion treibt das Denken zu einer ursprünglichen Einheit, die allem enthoben ist: Διὸ καὶ ἡ ἀναγωγὴ πανταχοῦ ἐφ' ἐν. Καὶ ἐφ' ἐκάστου μὲν τι ἐν, εἰς ὃ ἀνάξεις, καὶ τὸδε πᾶν εἰς ἐν τὸ πρὸ αὐτοῦ, οὐχ ἀπλῶς ἐν, ἕως τις

θεότητος ὁ Πατήρ; Cyrillus Alexandrinus, Thesaurus 15, PG 75, 277B ; ebd. 9, 112AB: κἂν ἔξη τινὰ διαφορὰν ὁ Υἱὸς ὡς πρὸς τὸν ἑαυτοῦ Πατέρα, καθ' ἣν ὁ μὲν Πατήρ ἀρχὴ ἐστίν, ὁ δὲ Υἱὸς ἐκ τῆς ἀρχῆς ...; ebd. 11, 141D: ... μείζονα αὐτόν (scil. τὸν Πατέρα) φησιν ὡς ἄναρχον, ἔχων ἀρχὴν κατὰ μόνον τὸ ἐξ οὗ.... Im Hinblick auf den Hl. Geist siehe außerdem: Thesaurus 34, PG 75, 577B; 580C; 589AB, 596B, 600BC, 617B. An allen diesen Stellen wird dem Vater das Ursprungsein auch für den Geist zuerkannt. Obwohl bei Kyrill keine ausdrückliche Aussage über die Monarchie des Vaters zu finden ist, hält er trotzdem den Vater für die einzige Quelle in der Gottheit, für den grundlosen Grund. Vgl. auch Joh. Dam., *Expositio Fidei* I, 8 (PTS 12, 19, 30–31 KOTTER): εἰς ἓνα Πατέρα τὴν πάντων ἀρχὴν καὶ αἰτίαν, οὐκ ἔκ τινος γεννηθέντα, ἀναίτιον δὲ καὶ ἀγέννητον μόνο ὑπάρχοντα; ebd. (30, 274–275): εἰς Πατὴρ ὁ Πατήρ καὶ ἄναρχος, τουτέστιν ἀναίτιος· οὐ γὰρ ἔκ τινος; ebd. I, 12b (36, 57): μόνος γὰρ αἴτιος ὁ Πατήρ.

⁴⁵ Vgl. Gregorius Nazianzenus, Or. 42, 15 (SC 384, 82, 17–18 BERNARDI). S. oben Fußnote 44. Vgl. auch Or. 29, 2 (SC 250, 178, 9–11 GALLAY): ἀλλ' ἦν φύσεως ὁμοτιμία συνίστησι, καὶ γνώμης σύμπτωια, καὶ ταυτότης κινήσεως καὶ πρὸς τὸ ἐν τῶν ἐξ αὐτοῦ σύννευσις. Ebenso vgl. auch bei Gregor Palamas, *Logos Apo-deiktikos* A' 37 (über den Ausgang des Hl. Geistes), [Γρηγορίου τοῦ Παλαμᾶ Συγγράμματα I–V, ed. P. CHRESTU/B. BOBRINSKOY, Thessalonike 1988, 68, 24–25]: Οὐ γὰρ μόνον ὅτι μία φύσις εἰς θεός, ἀλλ' ὅτι ἐν πρόσωπον τὴν ἀναφορὰν ἔχει τὰ ἐξ αὐτοῦ, καὶ εἰς ἐν αἴτιον καὶ μίαν ἀρχὴν τὰ ἐξ ἀρχῆς ἀναφέρεται. (Es gibt einen Gott, nicht nur weil die Natur eine einzige ist, sondern auch weil die von Ihm Hervorgebrachten auf eine Person ihren Bezug nehmen und weil die einem Ursprung Entstammten auf ein Verursachendes und einen Ursprung zurückzuführen sind).

⁴⁶ Das Wort „Element“ wird im uneigentlichen Sinne verwendet.

ἐπὶ τὸ ἀπλῶς ἐν ἑλθῇ· τοῦτο δὲ οὐκέτι ἐπ' ἄλλο.⁴⁷ (Darum führt der Rückgang überall auf eines. Und bei einem jeden gibt es eines, worauf du es zurückführen kannst, und dieses Ganze auf das eine vor ihm, das nicht schlechthin eines ist, bis man zu dem schlechthin Einen kommt – dieses aber ist auf kein anderes mehr rückführbar).

Diese ursprüngliche Einheit, von der jede Vielheit abkünftig ist und die man allein für sich selbst nehmen muss,⁴⁸ ist durch Teillosigkeit (ἀμερές, ἀμέριστον)⁴⁹ gekennzeichnet, was wiederum auf das durchaus Vielheitslose, absolut Einfache verweist.⁵⁰ Nur durch Ihre absolute Einfachheit kann die ursprüngliche Einheit eine Arché, d.h. Grund jeder Unterscheidung sein. Das lässt sich an der antiken Auffassung über den Begriff der Zahl deutlich erkennen. Die Zahl Eins wird als quantitätslos betrachtet. Die Eins als unteilbare Einheit ist nicht die quantitative, sondern die formale Bedingung der Zahlen. Die unteilbare Einheit erscheint nicht als Zahl, sondern als Konstitutivum der Zahl.⁵¹ Eins und Zahl verhalten sich wie Prinzip und Prinzipiiertes zueinander.⁵² So ist auch nach Pseudo-Dionysius die Einheit der Grund jeder Zweiheit, während die Zweiheit keinen Grund darstellen kann.⁵³

Dieses strikte vielheitslose Einheitsverständnis scheint auf die spätere byzantinische Theologie wesentlich und fruchtbar eingewirkt zu haben. In der palamitischen Theologie wird der Vorrang des Vaters als Quelle und gotterzeugende Gottheit sehr deutlich zum Ausdruck ge-

⁴⁷ Plotin, *Enn.* III 8, 10 (*PO* I, 375, 20–23 HENRY/SHWYZER). Übers. nach G. HUBER, *Das Sein und das Absolute. Studien zur Geschichte der ontologischen Problematik in der spätantiken Philosophie.* Basel 1955, 54.

⁴⁸ Vgl. Enneades V 6, 3 (*PO* II, 259, 2–4 HENRY/SHWYZER): οὐ δύναται γὰρ πολλὰ μὴ ἐνὸς ὄντος, ἀφ' οὗ ἢ ἐν ᾧ, ἢ ὅλως ἐνὸς καὶ τούτου πρώτου τῶν ἄλλων ἀριθμουμένου, ὃ αὐτὸ ἐφ' ἑαυτοῦ δεῖ λαβεῖν μόνον. (Denn Vieles kann nicht sein, wenn es nicht Eines gibt, von dem her oder in dem es ist, oder wenn es nicht überhaupt Eines gibt, und dies im Vergleich zu den anderen als Erstes gezählt wird, das man für sich selbst nehmen muß. Übers. Nach C. HORN, *Plotin über Sein, Zahl und Einheit. Eine Studie zu den systematischen Grundlagen der Enneaden. Beiträge zur Altertumskunde*, 62. Stuttgart 1995, 291.

⁴⁹ Vgl. Enneades VI 9, 2 (*PO* III, 273, 21 HENRY/SHWYZER).

⁵⁰ Vgl. Enneades V 3, 16 (*PO* III, 230, 13–16 HENRY/SHWYZER): εἰ γὰρ καὶ αὐτὸ (sc.τὸ "Ὑν) πολὺ, οὐκ ἀρχὴ τοῦτο, ἀλλ' ἄλλο πρὸ τούτου. Συστῆναι οὖν δεῖ εἰς ἐν ὄντως παντὸς πλήθους ἕξω καὶ ἀπλότητος ἡστιν οὖν, εἴπερ ὄντως ἀπλοῦν.

⁵¹ Vgl. Aristoteles, *Physik* Δ 12, 220b 21 f. Dazu siehe HORN, *Plotin über Sein* (wie oben Fußnote 48) 291.

⁵² Vgl. HORN ebd. 291 mit Berufung auf Euklid, *Elementa* VII 1; II 103 HEIBERG: Μονάς ἐστιν, καθ' ἣν ἕκαστον τῶν ὄντων ἐν λέγεται...ἀριθμός δὲ τὸ ἐκ μονάδων συγκείμενον πλῆθος.

⁵³ Vgl. *De divinis nominibus* IV 21 (*PTS* 33, 168, 22 SUCHLA).

bracht. Es gibt einen einzigen Grund, auf den die zwei Prinzipiate ihren Rückbezug nehmen. Denn die Einheit wird weder von der Zweiheit hervorgebracht, noch ist auf sie zurückzuführen.⁵⁴

b) Zeugung und Hervorgang werden als zwei verschiedene Existenzweisen betrachtet, die auf deutliche Weise den beiden Verursachten Sohn und Geist entsprechend zuzuweisen sind.

c) Zeugung und Hervorgang werden zudem auch als gleichwertig betrachtet, damit Sohn und Geist denselben Bestimmungsgrund des Seins erlangen.

d) Die Wesenseinheit innerhalb der Gottheit ist in der Hypostase des Vaters und nicht in der gemeinsamen Usia gegründet. Die Betrachtung des Vaters als des Einheitsträgers in der Trinität wird deutlich in der Mystagogie des Photius mit dem Grundsatz hervorgehoben: „der Geist ist ja wesenseins (mit dem Vater), weil er (von ihm) ausgeht, und nicht umgekehrt ist er ausgegangen, weil er wesenseins ist“.⁵⁵

e) Da Sohn und Geist beide mit dem Vater desselben Wesens sind, weil sie ihm als dem einzigen Urgrund entstammen, sind sie auch miteinander wesenseins. Dieses ergibt sich auch nach dem logischem Prinzip, wonach zwei Dinge, welche mit einem Dritten identisch sind, auch miteinander identisch sind.⁵⁶

Wenn also der Geist mit dem Sohn wesenseins ist, weil beide mit dem Vater desselben sind, und wenn die Usia des Vaters mit der des Sohnes identisch ist, und vom Geist gesagt wird, er sei aus der Usia des Vaters, dann könnte man behaupten, dass der Geist auch aus der Usia des Sohnes sei. Diese Behauptung ist aber nach Kyprios ausschließlich im Rahmen des Wesenseins (ὁμοούσιον) gültig. In Hinsicht auf die Hypostase ist eine entsprechende Behauptung nicht annehmbar. Der Geist könnte auch aus der Hypostase des Sohnes sein, wenn diese mit der des Vaters zahlenmäßig zusammenfiel, wie es bei ihrem Wesen der Fall ist.⁵⁷ Das ist aber gerade hier nicht der Fall. Hier handelt es sich um zwei strikt voneinander unterschiedene Hypostasen, an denen das Zweifache (δυσάδικόν) erschaut wird. Was aber an der Hypostase zu beobachten ist,

⁵⁴ Vgl. Logos Apodeiktikos A', 20 (I, 48, 24–25 CHRESTU/BOBRINSKY): οὐκ ἐκ τῆς δυάδος προάγεται τὸ ἕν, οὐδ' εἰς τὴν δυάδα ἀναφέρεται. Palamas beruft sich in dem Zusammenhang auf Pseudo-Dionysius, De divinis nominibus II 5 (PTS 33, 128, 10–13 SUCHLA).

⁵⁵ Photius, Mystagogia 91, PG 102, 385B: καὶ γὰρ ὁμοούσιον, διότι ἐκπορεύεται, οὐ διότι δὲ ὁμοούσιον, ἐκπορευτόν.

⁵⁶ PG 142, 271 A. S. oben Fußnote 41.

⁵⁷ PG 142, 271B: Εἰ μὲν γὰρ ἦν ἐνίζεσθαι καθ' ὑπόστασιν, ὥσπερ δὴ καὶ κατ' οὐσίαν τῷ Πατρὶ τὸν Υἱόν, ἦν ἂν καὶ ἐκ τῆς ὑποστάσεως τοῦ Υἱοῦ.

wird nicht in der Gesamtheit der Natur erschaut; das aber, was innerhalb der Natur vorhanden ist, existiert zwangsläufig in allen drei Hypostasen.⁵⁸

Die dritte Begründung, die Kyprios bei seiner Argumentation ins Feld führt, bezieht sich auf die logische Frage, ob es sich gebührt, da der Geist aus dem Vater ist, und da die Usia des Vaters und des Sohnes eine ist, aus diesem Grund den Geist auch als etwas dem Sohn Entstammendes zu denken?⁵⁹ Bei seiner Stellungnahme zu dieser Frage gibt Kyprios die folgende Erklärung: Es ist eine logische Notwendigkeit, dass man den Geist als etwas auch aus der Usia des Sohnes Herkommendes anerkennt, weil diese mit der des Vaters eine ist; es ist hingegen nicht logisch notwendig, den Geist als etwas aus der Hypostase des Sohnes Ausgehendes zu denken, weil seine Hypostase mit der des Vaters nicht eine (μὴ μία) ist.⁶⁰ Denn eines ist die Hypostase des Vaters und ein anderes ist die des Sohnes; und das Ursachesein in Bezug auf den Sohn und den Geist gehört als Eigenschaft nur der väterlichen Hypostase.⁶¹ Diese sei die gotterzeugende ursprüngliche und die einzige Quelle der ganzen Gottheit, welche als absolut vollkommen die zwei anderen Hypostasen hervorbringt und die sich als Grund ihrer Wesenseinheit mit ihr und miteinander erweist.⁶²

Würde man zu diesem Punkt die axiomatische Behauptung ἅπανα οὐσία ἐνυπόστατος ἐστὶ, καὶ ὑπόστασις πᾶσα ἐνούσιος⁶³ (jede Usia existiert in ihrer eigenen Hypostase und jede Hypostase besitzt ihre eigene Usia) als künstlichen Einwand erheben, dann würde es zum einem Durcheinander bei den innertrinitarischen Verhältnissen führen. Wie das? Man sagt ja nicht, weil es drei Hypostasen gibt, bestehen

⁵⁸ PG 142, 271BC: καὶ τὸ τῇ ὑποστάσει... ἐνθεωρούμενον ἥκιστα χωρὰν ἔχει καὶ τῇ ὅλῃ φύσει ἐνθεωρεῖσθαι, ὥσπερ αὐτὸ ἐνυπάρχον τῇ κοινῇ φύσει, τοῦτο καὶ ταῖς ὑποστάσεσιν ἐνυπάρχειν ἀνάγκη.

⁵⁹ PG 142 271C: ποῦ προσήκον, ὅτι ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς τὸ Πνεῦμα, μία δὲ οὐσία Πατρός τε καὶ Υἱοῦ, διὰ τοῦτο καὶ ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ ὁμολογεῖσθαι αὐτό;

⁶⁰ PG 142, 271C: ἐκ μὲν γὰρ τῆς οὐσίας τοῦ Υἱοῦ ὅτι μία ἐστὶ τῇ τοῦ Πατρὸς ἀνάγκη, ἐκ δὲ τῆς ὑποστάσεως ὅτι μὴ μία οὐκ ἀνάγκη.

⁶¹ PG 142, 271C: ἄλλῃ γὰρ ὑπόστασις ἡ πατρικὴ, ἄλλῃ δὲ ἡ τοῦ Υἱοῦ, καὶ τὸ αἰτίαν εἶναι Υἱοῦ καὶ Πνεύματος τῆς πατρικῆς ἐστὶν ὑποστάσεως...

⁶² PG 142, 271CD: ὅθεν καὶ θεογόνος θεότης καὶ πηγαία θεότης, καὶ μόνη πηγὴ τῆς ὅλης θεότητος ... ὀνομάζεται (scil. ὁ Πατήρ). Καὶ γεννᾷ δὴ καὶ προβάλλει, ἐξ' ἑαυτῆς τελεία οὐσα καὶ ὑπερπλήρης, καὶ καθ' ἑαυτὴν τελείας ὑποστάσεις ὑπερπλήρεις, καὶ καθ' ἑαυτὰς ὑφρασηκνίας τὸν Υἱὸν καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα ὁμοουσίους καὶ ὁμοφυεῖς ἑαυτῆς, ἐπειδὴ ὁ καθ' οὐσίαν ὁ Πατήρ, τοῦτο καὶ ὁ Υἱὸς καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα, καὶ αὐτὸς λόγος τοῦ εἶναι ἥκει διὰ τῶν τριῶν.

⁶³ PG 142, 271D.

darum auch drei Wesenheiten-Usiae. Und wiederum sagt man nicht, weil es eine Usia gibt, gibt es auch nur eine Hypostase. Die Übertragung der Zahl der Hypostasen auf die Usia und umgekehrt die Übertragung des Einheitlichen der Usia auf die Hypostasen⁶⁴ zerreit die Dreifaltigkeit und die in ihr innewohnende Symmetrie.

Um diesen Gedanken des Kyprios zu erläutern, könnte man folgende Vermutung anstellen: Nimmt man das Axiom ἅπανα οὐσία ἐνυπόστατός ἐστι, καὶ ὑπόστασις πᾶσα ἐνοούσιος zur Begründung eines hypostatischen Hervorgangs des Geistes auch aus dem Sohn an, muss man an diesem Axiom konsequent festhalten. D.h., die Hypostase des Sohnes bringt auch den Geist hervor, und da vom Geist gesagt wird, er sei aus der Usia des Sohnes, welche in ihrer eigenen Hypostase besteht (d.h. enhypostatisch ist), darum sollte die Hypostase des Geistes gemäß diesem Axiom auch den Sohn oder eine andere, vierte Hypostase hervorbringen, sofern sie im vollkommenen Besitz des einen gemeinsamen Wesens gleichwertig mit den zwei anderen Personen ist. Kommt dem Sohn die Eigenschaft auch des Hervorbringens aufgrund seiner Wesenseinheit mit dem Vater zu, warum soll dann der Hl. Geist der Eigenschaften des Erzeugens und des Hervorbringens beraubt sein, da er an derselben Wesenseinheit teilhaftig ist?⁶⁵ Eine solche plausible Fragestellung stellt sich, wenn man aus dem (Ausdruck) „aus der Usia des Sohnes das (auch) aus seiner Hypostase“ erschließt. Der Hl. Geist gehe also nach Kyprios wesensmäßig aus dem Vater hervor, aus seiner Usia existierend. Da nun die Usia des Vaters keine andere als die des Sohnes, sondern ein und dieselbe sei, einzig aus diesem Grund erkennt man notwendigerweise, dass der Hl. Geist auch aus der Usia des Sohnes sei.⁶⁶ Kein stichhaltiges Argument könnte uns überzeugen, einen hypostatischen Hervorgang des Geistes aus dem Sohn anzunehmen, insofern es uns keinen Beweis erbringt, dass Usia und Hypostase ein und dasselbe sind und dass alles, was in den Hypostasen vorhanden ist, in der gesamten

⁶⁴ PG 142, 271D–272 A: ...ἀλλ’ οὐ διὰ τοῦτο καὶ τρεῖς οὐσίας λεκτέον ἐπὶ θεοῦ, ὅτι καὶ τρεῖς ὑποστάσεις· μηδὲ πάλιν μίαν ὑπόστασιν, ὅτι καὶ μία οὐσία, τὸ γὰρ μεταφέρειν ἐπὶ τὴν οὐσίαν τὸν τῶν ὑποστάσεων ἀριθμὸν, ἢ ἐπὶ τὰς ὑποστάσεις τὸ ἐπὶ τῆς οὐσίας ἐνιαῖον μετάγον, πρὸς τῷ σοφίσματι εἰκέναι, οὐδὲ τὴν τοῦ Σαβελλίου ἐκφύγοι δόξαν ποτέ ...

⁶⁵ Eine solche Frage stellt Photius in seiner Mystagogie, Par. 3 und 46, PG 281B–284 A; 324B–325 A.

⁶⁶ PG 142, 272B: Φαμὲν γὰρ ὅτι ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς οὐσιωδῶς ἐκπορεύεται τὸ Πνεῦμα, ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας ὑπάρχον αὐτοῦ. Ὅτι δὲ πάλιν οὐχ ἑτέρα οὐσία Πατρὸς καὶ Υἱοῦ, μία δὲ καὶ ἡ αὐτή, ἀναγκαίως καὶ ἐκ ταύτης ὁμολογοῦμεν τὸ Πνεῦμα.

Natur notwendig existieren muss.⁶⁷ Immerhin ist noch zu berücksichtigen: wenn man von (jemandem) sagt, er entstamme der Usia irgendeines (anderen), dann sagt man damit keineswegs, er rühre auch aus dessen Hypostase, dessen Usia er, wie behauptet, entstammt.⁶⁸ Als kennzeichnendes Beispiel zur Begründung einer solchen Ansicht (und damit schließt Kyprios seinen Gedankengang ab) gilt Christus. Denn das Menschliche in ihm ist wesenseins mit allen Menschen und unseres Wesens, entstammt unserer Usia und Natur, seine Existenz aber erlangt er, wie es heißt, nicht aus der Hypostase eines jeden von uns, sondern aus der jungfräulichen Mutter, von der er auch das uns gleiche Wesen empfing.⁶⁹

Kyprios setzt seinen Gedankengang weiter fort, indem er Bezug auf Kyrill von Alexandrien nimmt. Der Bezug auf die Kirchenväter und besonders auf Kyrill ist unausweichlich, da die Anhänger des Filioque anhand von seinen Zitaten aus dieser Literatur nachzuweisen versuchten, dass der Hl. Geist auch aus dem Sohn hervorgeht.⁷⁰ Kyrill sei nach dem Anspruch der Filioquisten ein starker Bundesgenosse zugunsten ihrer Ansichten, wenn er sagt: „Der Hl. Geist ist dem Wesen des Sohnes eigen und hat seine Existenz in ihm (dem Sohn) und nicht von außen her und existiert wesensmäßig aus ihm und bekommt alle seine Kraft und Wirkung aus dem Wesen des Sohnes, indem er sich aus beiden, d.h. aus dem Vater durch den Sohn ergießt“.⁷¹

⁶⁷ PG 142, 272B: Ὅτι δὲ ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας, διὰ τοῦτο καὶ ἐκ τῆς ὑποστάσεως, οὐδεὶς ποτε λόγος ὁμολογεῖν ἀναπείσειεν, ἕως ἂν μὴ δεικνύῃ οὐσίαν καὶ ὑπόστασιν ἓν τι κατὰ τὸν λόγον ὄντα, μηδὲ τὰ ταῖς ὑποστάσεσιν ἐνυπάρχοντα, ταῦτα καὶ κοινῇ τῇ ὅλῃ τῶν ὁμοουσίων ἐνυπάρχει φύσει...

⁶⁸ PG 142, 272C: ... τὸ ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας τινὸς λεγόμενον μὴ πάντως καὶ ἐκ τῆς ὑποστάσεως, οὐπερ ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας εἶναι λέγεται, λέγεσθαι.

⁶⁹ PG 142, 272C: Καὶ ὁ κατὰ Χριστὸν ἄνθρωπος ὁμοούσιος μὲν ἡμῖν τοῖς ἀνθρώποις καὶ ἐκ τῆς ἡμῶν οὐσίας καὶ φύσεως εἶναι λεγόμενος, τὴν δ' ὑπαρξιν οὐκ ἐκ τῆς ὑποστάσεως ἡμῶν ἐκάστου, ἐκ δὲ τῆς Παρθένου μητρὸς ὑπάρχων, ἐξ ἧς καὶ τὸ καθ' ἡμᾶς ἀνελάβετο.

⁷⁰ PG 142, 272C: Τὸν ἐν ἁγίοις, φησί, (sc. die Gegner) Κύριλλον τῆς ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ τοῦ Πνεύματος ἐκπορεύσεως προβάλλονται μάρτυρα.

⁷¹ PG 142, 272CD: διὸ καὶ ἰσχυρὸς αὐτοῖς ἐστὶ σύμμαχος ἐκεῖνα λέγων, ἴδιον τὸ Πνεῦμα τῆς οὐσίας τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ οὐκ ἔξωθεν ὑποστατὸν ἐν αὐτῷ, καὶ ἐξ αὐτοῦ φυσικῶς ὑπάρχων, ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας τοῦ Υἱοῦ πᾶσαν αὐτοῦ τὴν δύναμιν καὶ τὴν ἐνέργειαν ἔχων, οὐσιωδῶς ἐξ ἀμφοῖν, ἥτοι ἐκ Πατρὸς δι' Υἱοῦ προχεόμενον. Vgl. Sancti Patris nostri Cyrilli archiepiscopi Alexandrini in D. Joannis Evangelium, ed. P. E. PUSEY. Oxford 1872 (21965), I 136, 22; 692, 14; Athanasius, Thesaurus de sancta et consubstantiali Trinitate, PG 75, 596C. 609 A; ebd. 34, PG 75, 585 A: ... πρόεισι δὲ καὶ ἐκ Πατρὸς καὶ Υἱοῦ, πρόδηλον ὅτι τῆς θείας ἐστὶν οὐσίας, οὐσιωδῶς ἐν αὐτῇ καὶ ἐξ αὐτῆς προΐόν; Vgl. auch *De adoratione in Spiritu et*

Auf das von den Gegnern ins Feld geführte Zitat aus Kyrill antwortet Kyprios nicht direkt, sondern verlagert den Schwerpunkt auf die Unterscheidung zwischen Theologia und Oikonomia und auf die Verschiedenheit der beiden Existenzweisen, d.h. der Zeugung und des Hervorgangs. Während nach dem gemeinsamen Glauben der Kirche alle Seienden auf geschöpfliche Weise (δημιουργικῶς) ins Sein gerufen sind, erlangen hingegen Sohn und Geist ihre Existenz auf eine ganz andere Weise, d.h. der eine durch Zeugung (γεννητῶς), der andere durch Hervorgang (ἐκπορευτῶς); und so sind sie wesensmäßig im Besitz von alldem, was der Vater hat. Aus diesem Grund sagt man, dass beide der Usia des Vaters entstammen.⁷² Dies stiftet ein gemeinsames Merkmal für Sohn und Geist: Beide entstammen dem Vater als einem natürlichen Grund und Ursprung und damit beide nicht in eins zusammenfallen, muss das eine dem anderen (in einer logischen Anordnungs-Reihe) folgen.⁷³ Entweder kommt zuerst das Gezeugtwerden und der Sohn ist das Gezeugte; oder es kommt zuerst das Hervorgehenlassen und der Geist ist das Hervorgegangene.⁷⁴ Nun, das wovon man sagt, er werde weder vom Vater gezeugt noch dass er von ihm ausgehe, könne weder die Existenz von ihm erlangen noch ihn als natürlichen Grund und Ursprung im Überfluß haben.⁷⁵ Die Tatsache, dass Sohn und Geist durch Zeugung und Hervorgang entsprechend wesensmäßig dem Vater entstammen, macht sie miteinander wesenseins.⁷⁶ Kyprios beteuert, dass Kyrill überall in seinen Abhandlungen (πανταχοῦ) die Zeugung als sein eigenes Proprium dem Sohn und den Hervorgang als

veritate: PG 68, 148 A: ... εἴπερ ἐστὶ τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς καὶ μὴν καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ, τὸ οὐσιωδῶς ἐξ ἀμφοῖν, ἥγουν ἐκ Πατρὸς καὶ δι' Υἱοῦ προχεόμενον Πνεῦμα. Über Zitate bei Kyrill, welche auf den ersten Blick das Filioque zu begünstigen scheinen und deren gründliche Analyse siehe die Studie von A. THEODORU, 'Η περὶ ἐκπορεύσεως τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος διδασκαλία Κυρίλλου τοῦ Ἀλεξανδρείας καὶ Ἐπιφανίου Κύπρου. Athen 1974, 60–76. Dazu siehe auch S. PAPADOPOULOS, Ἅγιος Κύριλλος Ἀλεξανδρείας. Athen 2004, 112–124.

⁷² PG 142, 272D: ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς καὶ τὸν Υἱὸν ὑποστῆναι ὁμολογοῦμεν καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον, οὐδέτερον δημιουργικῶς ἀλλὰ τὸ μὲν γεννητῶς, τὸ δὲ ἐκπορευτῶς, πάντα ἔχοντα κατ' οὐσίαν ὅσα καὶ ὁ Πατὴρ. Διὰ τοῦτο καὶ ἄμφω ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας φαμέν τοῦ Πατρὸς.

⁷³ PG 142, 272D: Ὡστε καὶ ὅπερ ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς, ὡς ἐξ ἀρχῆς καὶ αἰτίας φυσικῆς εἶναι ὁμολογεῖται, γνῶρισμα τῆς ἐκεῖθεν ὑπάρξεως, δυοῖν τούτοις ἀναγκαιῶς θάτερον ὡς ἐπόμενον ἔχει.

⁷⁴ PG 142, 272D–273A: ἢ τὸ γεννᾶσθαι, καὶ ἔστιν Υἱὸς τὸ γεννώμενον, ἢ τὸ ἐκπορεύεσθαι, καὶ Πνεῦμα ἅγιόν ἐστιν.

⁷⁵ PG 142, 273A.

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sein eigenes Merkmal dem Geist zuweist.⁷⁷ Diese letzte Äußerung des Kyprios wird von den Ergebnissen der modernen Forschung nicht ganz bestätigt, welche eine Ungenauigkeit in der von ihm verwendeten Terminologie⁷⁸ und eine nicht eindeutige oder einheitliche Haltung bei der Zuschreibung der hypostatischen Eigentümlichkeiten feststellt, was dem Leser den Eindruck vermittelt, dass sich bei Kyrill eine Vermischung der unterschiedlichen Idiome der göttlichen Personen aufspüren lässt.⁷⁹

Kennzeichnende Beispiele dafür sind die folgenden Stellen:

- 1) Πιστεύομεν γάρ, ἔφασαν (sc. die Väter des Konzils von Nicäa), εἰς αὐτό, (sc. τὸ Πνεῦμα), καθάπερ ἀμέλει εἰς τὸν Πατέρα καὶ τὸν Υἱόν. Ὁμοούσιον γάρ ἐστιν αὐτοῖς. Καὶ προχεῖται μὲν, ἡγουν ἐκπορεύεται, καθάπερ ἀπὸ πηγῆς τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ Πατρός, χορηγεῖται δὲ τῇ κτίσει διὰ τοῦ Υἱοῦ.⁸⁰
- 2) ... προχεῖται παρ' αὐτοῦ (sc. τοῦ Υἱοῦ) καθάπερ, ἀμέλει καὶ ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ Πατρός.⁸¹
- 3) Εἰ δὲ Χριστὸς ἐν ὑμῖν, ἀπαράλλακτον εἰσφέρων τὴν ὁμοιότητα τοῦ Υἱοῦ, πρὸς τὸ ἴδιον αὐτοῦ καὶ παρ' αὐτοῦ κατὰ φύσιν προχέομενον Πνεῦμα.⁸²

Kyrills Bestehen darauf, dem Vater allein das Hervorgehenlassen des Geistes zuzuweisen, stünde nach Kyprios dem nicht im Wege, dass Kyrill für eine enge Beziehung und Verbindung zwischen Sohn und Geist plädierte – allerdings unter dem Bestimmungsgrund der Wesenseinheit.⁸³ Ein doppelter Hervorgang würde nach Kyprios nicht nur eine Verletzung der Monarchie, sondern auch der Vollkommenheit der

⁷⁷ PG 142, 273A: Οὐκοῦν ἴδωμεν καὶ Κύριλλον τὸν θεῖον, ποῖόν τι γνώρισμα τοῦ εἶναι τὸν Υἱὸν ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς τίθησιν, οὐ πανταχοῦ τὴν γέννησιν; Τὸ καὶ τοῦ Πνεύματος, οὐ πανταχοῦ τὴν ἐκπόρευσιν καὶ τὸ ἐκπορεύεσθαι; Vgl. Cyrillus, De Trinitate 8, PG 44, 1137B; ebd. 9, 1140BC.

⁷⁸ Die Ansicht, dass Kyrill in manchen Formulierungen nicht akkurat ist, vertreten viele Forscher, wie A. THEODORU, 'Ἡ περὶ ἐκπορεύσεως (wie oben Fußnote 71) 80; M. ORPHANOS, The Procession of the Holy Spirit according to certain Greek Fathers. Athens 1979, 45; C.G. BERTHOLD, Cyril of Alexandria and the Filioque. *Studi Patristici* 19 (1989) 147; PAPADOPULOS, Κύριλλος Ἀλεξανδρείας (wie oben Fußnote 71), 115, 118.

⁷⁹ Vgl. PAPADOPULOS, ebd. 115.

⁸⁰ Cyrillus, Epistula 35, PG 77, 316D.

⁸¹ Cyrillus, Epistula 17 ad Nestorium, PG 77, 117C.

⁸² Cyrillus, Commentarius in Ioannem 2 (I 188, 29 PUSEY).

⁸³ PG 142, 273C: Ἐκ Πατρὸς ἐκπορεύεται τὸ Πνεῦμα, καὶ πρὸς ἔνωσιν συνάπτεται τῷ Υἱῷ κατὰ τὸν ὁμοουσιότητος λόγον.

Hypostase des Vaters bedeuten. Gegenüber seinen Gegnern wendet er dazu Folgendes ein: Wenn sie behaupten, dass Kyrill das zur Existenz Gelangen des Geistes aus dem Vater als vollkommen betrachtet, wo gibt es dann Raum für einen zweiten Hervorbringer? Wie wird die Annahme gewahrt bleiben, dass der Geist auch dem Sohn entstammt? Und wenn auch der Eingeborene Verursacher und Ursprung des Geistes ist, wie kommt es, dass der Geist aus dem Vater vollkommen ist, und dass er vom Vater allein ausgeht, wie Kyrill sagt, und als Herr seine Stellung bewahren wird?⁸⁴ Außerdem wendet Kyprios wiederum ein: „Entweder bezeichnet ihr die Existenz des Geistes aus dem Vater als unvollkommen, die sich aber durch den Sohn vervollkommnet, oder als irgendwie überflüssig und als eine, die bei den Theologen nutzlos und umsonst überliefert ist“.⁸⁵ Hier basiert der Einwand des Kyprios auf einer logischen Überlegung, welche als Hauptelement die Idee des Vollkommenen in sich enthält, und welche auf einen ähnlichen Gedanken des Photius in der Mystagogie zurückzuführen ist. Dort bezweifelt dieser die Nützlichkeit eines doppelten Hervorgangs des Geistes auch vom Sohn und stellt als Ausgangspunkt seiner Argumentation die logische Frage: Gibt es etwas Zusätzliches, das der Geist empfängt, was er nicht bereits basäße als aus vom Vater Ausgehender?⁸⁶ Wenn wir annehmen (sagt Photius), dass der Hervorgang aus dem Sohn etwas Zusätzliches zu bringen vermag, dann scheint der Hervorgang des Geistes aus dem Vater der Beifügung durch den Sohn bedürftig zu sein, und daher erweist sich die Hypostase des Vaters als unvollkommen. Bringt hingegen der Hervorgang aus dem Sohn nichts Zusätzliches, was ist dann der Sinn eines Hervorgangs, der nichts bewirken kann?⁸⁷

⁸⁴ PG 142, 273CD: Κύριλλον γὰρ αὕτη φωνή, καὶ ὑμεῖς προσμαρτυρεῖτε καὶ τελείαν Πατρίθεν ἐμφαίνειν τοῦ Παρακλήτου τὴν ὑπαρξιν λέγετε. Ποῦ λοιπὸν τῷ δευτέρῳ τόπος; Πῶς σωθήσεται τό, ὅτι καὶ ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ τὸ εἶναι τῷ Πνεύματι; ... Καὶ εἰ αἴτιος ὁ Μονογενὴς αὐτοῦ καὶ ἀρχή, πῶς τέλειον ἐκ Πατρὸς εἶναι τὸ Πνεῦμα, καὶ ἐκ μόνου τοῦ Πατρὸς ἐκπορεύεσθαι, ὃ φησι Κύριλλος, Κύριον διαμενεῖ;

⁸⁵ PG 142, 273D: ... ἢ ἀτελῇ τὴν ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς ὑπαρξιν τοῦ Πνεύματος λέγετε, τελειομένην δὲ διὰ τοῦ Υἱοῦ, ἢ περιττὴν τινα καὶ τοῖς θεολόγοις εἰκαίως παρειλημμένην;

⁸⁶ Photius, Mystagogia 7, PG 102, 288B: Ἀλλὰ γὰρ ἐκπορεύεται τὸ Πνεῦμα τοῦ Υἱοῦ. Τί δὴποτε προσλαμβάνον, ὅπερ οὐκ ἔσχεν ἐκπορευόμενον τοῦ Πατρὸς;

⁸⁷ Vgl. Mystagogia 7, PG 102, 288B: Εἰ μὲν γὰρ ἔστι τι λαβεῖν καὶ εἰπεῖν, ὃ προσεῖληφε, πῶς οὐχὶ χωρὶς τῆς προσλήψεως ἀτελές, ἢ πάντως γὰρ μετὰ τὸ προσλαβεῖν; Εἰ δὲ μηδὲν προσεῖληφεν ... τίς ὁ λόγος τῆς οὐδὲν παρασχεῖν δυναμένης ἐκπορεύσεως; Vgl. Ep. 291 (III 143, 124–126 Westerink): Ἄλλως τε δέ, εἰ μὲν τελεία ἡ ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς ἐστὶν ἐκπόρευσις, τίς ἡ χρεια τῆς δευτέρας ἐκπορεύσεως, ἥδη τῆς

Der Kernpunkt der Argumentation beider Denker liegt also in dem Begriff des Vollkommenen, dem man bereits in der Geburtsstunde der Ontologie begegnet, nämlich in der eleatischen Konzeption des autarken, sich rein selbst entsprechenden Seins.⁸⁸ Dieser Aspekt der Selbstgenügsamkeit wird stark von Plotin in Hinsicht auf das absolute Eine hervorgehoben. Diese Selbstgenügsamkeit sei das von allem vollkommen Unabhängige und so das Erste, αὐταρκέστατον τε καὶ πρῶτον πάντων.⁸⁹ Die absolute Unbedürftigkeit und Unabhängigkeit des Einen besteht nach Plotin in der Tatsache, dass das Eine für alles andere der Urgrund ist, und daher verdankt es sich selbst keinem anderem; es ist also keines anderen bedürftig.⁹⁰ Im Gegensatz zu dem absoluten Einen ist jede Vielheit zusammengesetzt d.h. auf die Anwesenheit ihrer Bestandteile angewiesen und deshalb abhängig und kontingent.⁹¹

Δεῖ μὲν γὰρ ἰκανώτατον ὃν πάντων καὶ αὐταρκέστατον, καὶ ἀνεκδέεστατον εἶναι· πᾶν δὲ πολὺ καὶ μὴ ἓν ἐκδεδῆσθαι μὴ ἓν ἐκ πολλῶν γενόμενον. Δεῖται οὖν αὐτοῦ ἡ οὐσία ἓν εἶναι. Τὸ δὲ οὐ δεῖται ἑαυτοῦ· αὐτὸ γὰρ ἐστὶ. Καὶ μὴν πολλὰ ὃν τοσούτων δεῖται, ὅσα ἔστι, καὶ ἕκαστον τῶν ἐν αὐτῷ μετὰ τῶν ἄλλων ὃν καὶ οὐκ ἐφ' ἑαυτοῦ, ἐκδεδῆσθαι τῶν ἄλλων ὑπάρχον, καὶ καθ' ἓν καὶ κατὰ τὸ ὅλον τὸ τοιοῦτον ἐκδεδῆσθαι παρέχεται. Εἴτερον οὖν δεῖ τι αὐταρκέστατον εἶναι, τὸ ἓν εἶναι δεῖ τοιοῦτον ὃν μόνον, οἷον μήτε πρὸς αὐτὸ μήτε πρὸς ἄλλο ἐκδεδῆσθαι εἶναι.⁹²

(Denn weil das Eine das Zureichendste von allem und das Selbstgenügenste ist, muss es auch das Unbedürftigste sein. Alles Viele und Nicht-Eine aber ist bedürftig, da es erst aus Vielem ein Eines geworden ist. Es bedarf also sein Wesen des Einen, um Eines zu sein. Jenes aber bedarf seiner selbst nicht, denn Es ist Es selbst. Was ferner Vieles ist, bedarf so vieler Dinge als es ist; weiter existiert jedes der Dinge in ihm mit den anderen verbunden und steht nicht auf sich selbst, weil es der

τελειότητος ἐκ τῆς πατρικῆς προόδου καθορωμένης τῷ Πνεύματι; εἰ δ' ἀτελής, τίς ὑποίσει τὸ ἅτοπον;

⁸⁸ Vgl. *Historisches Wörterbuch der Philosophie*, Artikel Vollkommenheit, Bd. 11, 1115–1116.

⁸⁹ Vgl. Enneades V 4, 1 (PO III 234, 12–13 HENRY/SHWYZER); II 9, 1 (PO I, 203, 8–10 HENRY/SHWYZER).

⁹⁰ Vgl. J. HALFWASSEN, *Der Aufstieg zum Einen. Untersuchungen zu Platon und Plotin. Beiträge zur Altertumskunde*, 9. Stuttgart 1992, 70. Dazu siehe auch HORN, *Plotin über Sein* (wie oben Fußnote 48) 296–297.

⁹¹ Vgl. ebd. 62.

⁹² *Enn.* VI 9, 6 (PO III 280, 17–26 HENRY/SHWYZER).

anderen bedürftig ist, und dadurch wird ein solches Wesen sowohl in seinen Einzelbestandteilen wie als Ganzes bedürftig. Wenn anders es nun ein vollkommen Selbstgenugsames geben muss, so muss Es das Eine geben, denn Es allein ist so beschaffen, dass Es weder gegen sich selbst noch gegen ein anderes bedürftig ist).⁹³

In der Fortsetzung seines Argumentationsganges untersucht und analysiert Kyprios die von Kyrill häufig verwendete Bezeichnung des Hl. Geistes als „dem Sohne oder dem Christus eigen“ (ἴδιον τοῦ Υἱοῦ, ἴδιον τοῦ Χριστοῦ).⁹⁴ Diese Bezeichnung dürfte nach Kyprios den Leser überhaupt nicht in Verwirrung bringen, so dass er irrigerweise auf einen existenziellen Hervorgang des Geistes auch vom Sohn schlosse. Kyrill wolle mit diesem Ausdruck eher die Verwandtschaft und die Konsubstantialität⁹⁵ der Natur hervorheben. Wie der Geist als „des Sohnes eigen“ genannt werde, genau so werde er als „des Vaters eigen bezeichnet“. ⁹⁶ Und wie der Geist vom Vater hervorgeht und daher der Vater von ihm selbst und in ihm (selbst) seinen eigenen Geist hat, genau so hat auch der Sohn den Geist in ihm (ἐν ἑαυτῷ), weil er mit ihm desselben Wesens ist.⁹⁷ Außerdem versteht Kyrill an anderen Stellen die existenzielle Abhängigkeit des Geistes allein vom Vater, indem er mit aller Deutlichkeit sagt, dass der Geist vom Vater seine Existenz habe (ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς ἔχει τὴν ὑπαρξιν).⁹⁸

Ein Abkunftsverhältnis von Sohn und Geist, das Kyprios durchaus verneint, schließt ein enges Verhältnis zwischen beiden im Rahmen der Heilsgeschichte (beim Sichoffenbaren Gottes) und auf der Basis der Wesenseinheit nicht aus. Kyprios sieht dieses enge Verhältnis in den Äußerungen Kyrills, wenn er (Kyrill) Christus als Verleiher (δοτήρ) und Gewährer (χορηγός) des Geistes bezeichnet, weil er (Christus) mit ihm der Natur nach verknüpft und er desselben Wesens ist.⁹⁹ Durch die

⁹³ Textübers. nach R. HARDER, Plotins Schriften. Hamburg 1956, I 188, 41–43.

⁹⁴ Vgl. Cyrillus, Commentarius in Joannem 7, 39 (I 622, 14 PUSEY): Ἰδιον γὰρ τοῦ Υἱοῦ τὸ Πνεῦμα ἐστὶ, καὶ οὐκ ἔξωθεν, ὥσπερ ἡμῖν εἰπείσκεινται παρὰ θεοῦ χορηγούμενον, ἀλλ’ ἐνυπάρχει φυσικῶς αὐτῷ καθάπερ καὶ τῷ πατρί. Vgl. auch De Trinitate 3, PG 75, 840C. Für weitere Belege siehe THEODORU, Ἡ περὶ ἐκπορεύσεως (wie oben Fußnote 48) 39–40.

⁹⁵ Vgl. ORPHANOS, Procession (wie oben Fußnote 78) 42.

⁹⁶ PG 142, 274 A.

⁹⁷ PG 142, 274 A.

⁹⁸ PG 142, 274B.

⁹⁹ PG 142, 274C: Ὡς Υἱὸς δηλαδὴ καὶ μονογενὴς τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ θεὸς φύσει, καὶ τὸ ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς πνεῦμα συμφυὲς ἔχων καὶ ὁμοούσιον. Ὅτι δοτὴρ ἐστὶν ... καὶ

wesensmäßige Teilhabe des Christus an dem Geist sei er instande aus eigener Kraft und Natur, aus der die Heiligung ströme und die er nicht von außen her besitze, die Wundertaten zu bewirken.¹⁰⁰ Nach Kyprios habe der Sohn als Gott wesentlich die Fähigkeit, den Geist zu verleihen, zu spenden und senden, und dieses aus Gründen (seines) Heilswerkes und seiner Kondeszendenz (οἰκονομίας λόγῳ καὶ συγκαταβάσεως).¹⁰¹ In Hinsicht auf sein Wesen, werde der Hl. Geist hingegen (wenn man in frommer Weise rede) weder verliehen, noch gesendet, weder ausgegossen, noch geschenkt oder gewährt.¹⁰² Hier zieht Kyprios deutlich den Unterschied zwischen dem Hl. Geist als Hypostase und den Gnadengaben des Geistes – ein subtiler Unterschied, den er später zum Ende der Schrift aufgreifen wird. Der einzige Grund also, weshalb Kyrill vom Geist sagt, dass er aus dem Sohn existiere, ist nach Kyprios nicht sein ins Sein Gelangen, sondern seine Ausstrahlung und Manifestation in die Welt: „Der Hl. Geist existiert aus dem Sohn, hat Kyrill gesagt, nicht aber wegen seines ins Sein-Tretens selbst, denn dieses selbst geschieht nur aus dem Vater, sondern wegen der Ausstrahlung und Manifestation des Geistes, der vom Vater (hervorgehend) mit dem Sohn verknüpft ist, und in ihm (dem Sohn) weilt. Denn er tritt gewiss durch den Sohn in Erscheinung und strahlt durch ihn aus, (aber) als der, der vom Vater ausgeht; er existiert (auch) aus dem Sohn, wenn wir (ihn) als in Erscheinung Tretenden, Gegebenen, Gesendeten, Eingehauchten (sc. z.B. in Gestalt der Charismen denken), wenn er kommt, die Schöpfung zu erneuern, und wenn er gegeben wird, hat er auf diese Weise den Sohn als Geber,

χορηγὸς τοῦ Πνεύματος, καὶ ὁ παρὰ τοῦ Πνεύματος ἁγιασμός, ἡ πρὸς τὸ ἀθάνατον τῆς φύσεως μεταβολή ... αὐτοῦ ἐστι φύσει, ὡς ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ αὐτοῦ πνεύματος. Vgl. bei Cyrillus, Epistula L, in Sanctum Symbolum, PG 77, 316D: ἐκπορεύεται καθάπερ ἀπὸ πηγῆς τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς, χορηγεῖται δὲ τῇ κτίσει διὰ τοῦ Υἱοῦ; Commentarius in Joannem 14, 11 (II 432, 14 PUSEY): προῖον δὲ μᾶλλον ἐξ αὐτοῦ (sc. τοῦ Πατρὸς) καὶ ἐν αὐτῷ μένον αἰεὶ, χορηγούμενον δὲ τοῖς ἁγίοις διὰ Χριστοῦ; Commentarius in Lucam 3, 17, PG 72, 521C: οὐκοῦν ἐκπορεύεται ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον, χορηγεῖ δὲ αὐτὸ τῇ κτίσει καὶ δίδωσι τοῖς ἁγίοις ὡς φύσει τε καὶ ἀληθῶς Υἱός, ὁ μονογενὴς αὐτοῦ Λόγος καὶ τοῖς τοῦ Πατρὸς ἀξιώμασι διαπρέπων.

¹⁰⁰ PG 142, 274D: μετοχῇ Πνεύματος ἐκεῖνος χάριν λαβεῖν ἐργάζεσθαι τὰ παράδοξα οἰκεία δυνάμει οὗτος καὶ φύσει πηγαζούση τὸν ἁγιασμόν, ἀλλ' οὐκ ἔξωθεν ἐχούση ἐργάζεσθαι τὰ παράδοξα.

¹⁰¹ PG 142, 274D.

¹⁰² PG 142, 274D.

und wenn er gewährt wird, hat er ihn als Gewährer (Ausrüster), und wenn er gesendet wird, hat er ihn als Sendenden.¹⁰³

Das Zitat zeigt klar und deutlich, dass Kyprios ein Abhängigkeitsverhältnis des Geistes vom Sohn auf die heilsgeschichtliche Ebene beschränkt und zwar auf die Aus-teilung und Sendung des Geistes, d. h. der Gnadengaben des Geistes in die Welt. Dabei stützt er sich auf seine Kirchenväterüberlieferung und konkreter auf Gregor von Nyssa, der schon auf ein so geartetes Verhältnis des Sohnes zum Geist hingewiesen hatte. Der Hl. Geist beziehe sich auf den Sohn, weil er durch ihn in Erscheinung getreten sei.¹⁰⁴ Ein Verhältnis auf innertrinitarischer Ebene zwischen Sohn und Geist sieht hingegen Kyprios nur im Rahmen der Wesenseinheit und konkreter in dem ewigen Weilen und Gegründetsein des Geistes im Sohn.¹⁰⁵ Von der Aussage also, der Geist sei aus dem Sohn,¹⁰⁶ die bei Kyrill von Alexandria begegnet, dürfte man nach Kyprios nicht auf das (von ihm) Sein-Erlangen (ἔχειν τὴν ὑπαρξιν) schließen, da beide Ausdrucksweisen miteinander nicht kompatibel, eher gegensätzlich sind.¹⁰⁷ Deshalb warnt Kyprios davor: Da Kyrill sagt, der Geist existiere aus dem Sohn, dürfe man, so Kyprios, nicht auf das (durch ihm) ins Sein Gelangen (ἔχειν τὴν ὑπαρξιν) schließen, dass er aus diesem Grund auch die Existenz vom Sohn erlangt habe.¹⁰⁸ Zur Begründung dieser Schlussfolgerung beruft er sich auf Kyrill und konkreter auf eine Stelle in *Thesaurus*, wo gesagt werde, der Hl. Geist sei

¹⁰³ PG 142, 275CD: 'Υπάρχει ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ τὸ Πνεῦμα, Κύριλλος εἶρηκεν, ἀλλ' οὐ δι' αὐτὴν αὐτοῦ τὴν οὐσίωσιν, ἐκ μόνου γὰρ αὕτη τοῦ Πατρὸς, διὰ δὲ τοῦ Πνεύματος τοῦ συναπτομένου τῷ Υἱῷ παρὰ τοῦ Πατρὸς, καὶ ἐν αὐτῷ μένοντος ἀπόλαμψιν καὶ φανέρωσιν· ἐκφαίνεται γὰρ διὰ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ ἐκλάμπει ἐκ Πατρὸς ἐκπορευόμενον, ὑπάρχει ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ, ἀλλ' ὅταν ὡς φανερούμενον νοῶμεν, ὅταν διδόμενον, πεμπόμενον, ἐμφυσώμενον, ὅταν ἐπὶ τὸ ἀνακαινίσαι τὴν κτίσιν ἐρχόμενον καὶ διδόμενον οὕτω τὸν Υἱὸν ἔχει δοτῆρα, καὶ χορηγούμενον χορηγόν, καὶ πεμπόμενον πέμποντα...

¹⁰⁴ Vgl. Gregius Nyssenus, *Contra Eunomium* I 280 (*GNO* I 108, 19–109, 1 JAEGER).

¹⁰⁵ PG 142, 275C: ἐκ δὲ τοῦ Υἱοῦ (sc. ὑπάρχειν τὸ Πνεῦμα), ὡς ὁμοουσίου καὶ ὁμοφυοῦς, ὡς ἐξ ἐκείνου ᾧ συνάπτεται τῷ τῆς ὁμοουσιότητος λόγῳ, ἐν ᾧ ἀναπαύεται καὶ ἰδρύται, καὶ ἀνεκφοίτητον τὴν μονὴν ποιεῖται, ἐκ Πατρὸς ἐκπορευόμενον.

¹⁰⁶ Vgl. *Commentarius in Iohelam* 2, 28–29, PG 71, 377D–380 A.

¹⁰⁷ PG 142, 273B: Εἰ τοίνυν ὡς ὑμῖν ἔστι, σὺ δὲ πρὸς θεοῦ ταῦτα περὶ ἐκείνου ἀποκρινόμενος, ἐπειδὴν ὅτι καὶ ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ λέγοντος ἀκούσις αὐτίκα, καὶ τὸ ἐκεῖθεν ἔχειν τὴν ὑπαρξιν καθαρπάξεις, οὐχ ὁρᾷς ὡς ἀσύμβατα καὶ οὐκ ἂν μᾶλλον τάναντία μὴ συνιέναι ἀλλήλοις, ἢ ταῦτα ὅ γε λελογισμένοις ὁμολογήσει; Dem Ausdruck ὑπαρξιν ἔχειν ist man schon bei den Kappadoziern begegnet. Vgl. Gregius Nazianzenus, *Or.* 32, 5 (*SC* 318, 94, 14 MORESCHINI/GALLAY).

¹⁰⁸ PG 142, 275D: Μὴ δὴ αὖ λέγε, ὡς ἐπειδὴ ὑπάρχει, φησὶν, ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ, διὰ τοῦτο καὶ τὴν ὑπαρξιν ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ ἔχει.

aus Gott, und zugleich gelehrt werde, dass der Hl. Geist aus dem Vater seine Existenz erlange.¹⁰⁹ Dabei aber drängt sich die Frage auf, warum entsprechend der Behauptung des Kyprios das „aus Gott-Vater Sein“ notwendig auf das Sein-Erlangen (des Geistes) von ihm verweist, während derselbe Ausdruck in Bezug auf den Sohn kein direktes Abkündigkeitsverhältnis zwischen Geist und Sohn bezeichnet?

Diese These ist kaum nachvollziehbar, da der Leser in den Schriften Kyrills und besonders in seinem Kommentar zum Johannes-Evangelium den entgegengesetzten Eindruck gewinnt, nämlich dass man leicht vom ersten Ausdruck auf den zweiten schließen kann. Eine Untersuchung mit Hilfe des *Thesaurus Linguae Graecae* hat gezeigt, dass der Ausdruck „aus jemandem existieren/sein“ auf ein direktes wesensmäßiges Abkündigkeitsverhältnis hinweist: kennzeichnender Beweis: τὸ ἐξ’ οὗ, διὰ τὸ ὑπάρχειν ἐκ Πατρὸς.¹¹⁰ Die Behauptung also des Kyprios, dass der Ausdruck „aus jemanden existieren/sein“, mit dem „aus jemanden das Sein erlangen“ nicht kompatibel sei, und das vor allem in Hinsicht auf das Verhältnis des Sohnes zum Geist, ist also nicht stichhaltig, eben weil derselbe Ausdruck in Zusammenhang mit Vater und Geist (bei Kyrill) die seinsmäßige Abhängigkeit des Zweiten von Ersten bezeichnet.

Eine seinsmäßige Abhängigkeit des Geistes vom Sohn will aber Kyprios bei Kyrill nicht ausgedrückt finden, denn er argumentiert, Kyrill hätte nicht unterlassen, ausdrücklich vom Hervorgang des Geistes vom Sohn zu sprechen, falls das seiner Überzeugung entsprochen hätte. Im Gegenteil: Eben weil eine solche Ansicht in sein theologisches Denken nicht hineinpasst, bestimmt er genau, dass der Hl. Geist wesensmäßig von beiden (ἐς ἀμφοῖν οὐσιωδῶς) ausgegossen und der Schöpfung gewährt wird.¹¹¹ Er sei dem Sohne eigen und ihm nicht fremd.¹¹² Dies

¹⁰⁹ PG 142, 274B: Καὶ πάλιν ἐν θησαυροῖς. Διὸ καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἐκ θεοῦ, εἶπε, διδάσκων ὡς ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς ἔχειν τὴν ὑπαρξιν. Vgl. Cyrillus, Thesaurus 33, PG 75, 568C: [τί, ἐξ οὗ, ὅπερ ἐπὶ τοῦ πνεύματος κείμενον, ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας (sc. τοῦ Πατρὸς) αὐτὸ φυσικῶς ὑπάρχον ἀποδεικνύων (sc. Παῦλος)].

¹¹⁰ Cyrillus, Commentarius in Iohannem (I 20, 6 PUSEY). Vgl. auch ebd. ἐκ τῆς οὐσίας αὐτὸν (sc. τὸν Μονογενῆ) ὑπάρχειν τῆς τοῦ Πατρὸς (I 37, 13); ὁ διὰ τὸ ἐξ αὐτοῦ (sc. τοῦ Πατρὸς) κατὰ φύσιν ὑπάρχειν (I 985, 8); ὅτι κατ’ οὐδὲν ἐλάττων τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς ὁ Υἱός, διὰ τὸ ἐξ αὐτοῦ κατὰ τὴν φύσιν ὑπάρχειν (I 485, 8); ὁ δὲ ἰσομέτρως ὡς πρὸς θεὸν καὶ Πατέρα τιμαῖς ἐπαγαλίζόμενος, διὰ τὸ ἐξ αὐτοῦ κατὰ φύσιν ὑπάρχειν (I 241, 5).

¹¹¹ PG 142, 2760. Vgl. Cyrillus, Thesaurus 34, PG 75, 600BC; Contra Julianum 4, PG 76, 725C: Πρόεισι μὲν οὖν ἀρρήτως ... ἐκ Πατρὸς, τὸ ζωοποιῶν ἅγιον Πνεῦμα: χορηγεῖται δὲ τῇ κτίσει δι’ Υἱοῦ.

¹¹² PG 142, 276 A: μηδὲ τὸν Υἱὸν ἀρχὴν λέγε τοῦ Πνεύματος, ὃ μηδεὶς εἶρηκεν. Οὐδὲ Κύριλλος: εἰ γὰρ ἦδει, οὐκ ἂν ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ δεῖσαν εἰπεῖν τὸ Πνεῦμα, τοσαῦτα

heißt, er sei mit ihm dem Bestimmungsgrund der Wesenseinheit gemäß (τῷ τῆς ὁμοουσιότητος λόγῳ) verbunden.¹¹³ In Hinsicht auf sein ins Sein-Gelangen aber gehe er nur vom Vater als aus einer Quelle hervor.¹¹⁴

Die Betrachtung des Vaters als des einzigen Monarchen, des einzigen Ursprungs versucht Kyprios im weiteren Verlauf seiner Argumentation auf die Überlieferung der Väter zu stützen. So beruft er sich zuerst auf Pseudo-Dionysius Areopagita und konkreter auf seine Schrift *De Divinis Nominibus*, wo der Vater als quellenhafte (πηγαία) und gotterzeugende Gottheit (θεογόνος θεότης) und der Sohn und der Geist als gottentkeimte Sprossen (βλαστοὶ θεόφυτοι), Blüten und überwesenhaften Lichter (ἄνθη καὶ ὑπερούσια φῶτα) bezeichnet werden.¹¹⁵ Die weitere Berufung auf Athanasius von Alexandrien erweist sich als sehr knapp und beschränkt sich auf die Bezeichnung des Geistes als des Sohnes eigen¹¹⁶ und auf die Verwendung der Analogien des Lichtes und seines Abglanzes (durch Athanasius), der Quelle und des Flusses zur Erläuterung des wesensmäßigen Hervorgangs des Sohnes und des Geistes entsprechend aus dem Vater.¹¹⁷ Der Rückgriff auf die Überlieferung der Väter zwingt Kyprios, unausweichlich auf die Kappadozier Bezug zu nehmen und vor allem auf Basilius von Cäsarea.

Er zitiert fast wörtlich eine Stelle aus Basilius' Schrift *Contra Sabelianos und Arianos*, wo der große Kappadozier betont, dass die Weise des Hervorgangs des Geistes etwas Unaussprechliches ist, ohne aber den Begriff ἐκπόρευσις als personkonstituierendes Merkmal für den Geist zu benennen: „Und (eben) weil der Sohn aus dem Vater hervorging und der Geist vom Vater ausgeht; einerseits geht der Sohn vom

προσδιωρίζετο, ὥσπερ δεδιὼς μὴ τι ἐκ τούτου ταύτην σχοίην ὑπόνοιαν, δι' αὐτοῦ προχεῖται, χορηγείται, ἀλλ' ἴδιον καὶ οὐκ ἕξωθεν ὑποστατόν, ἀλλ' οὐκ ἀλλότριον. Ἀλλ' ἐκπορεύεται μὲν ἐκ Πατρὸς, ἔστι δὲ οὐκ ἀλλότριον τοῦ Υἱοῦ, ἐξ ἀμφοῖν οὐσιωδῶς, ἢ ἐκ Πατρὸς δι' Υἱοῦ προχεόμενον. Vgl. Cyrillus, *De adoratione in spiritu et veritate* 1, PG 68, 148 A: ἔσται τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς, καὶ μὴν καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ προχεόμενον Πνεῦμα; vgl. auch: *De Trinitate* 2, PG 75, 721D–724 A; ebd. 3, 840AB; 6, 1013B; *Homilia Paschalis* 18, PG 77, 817AB.

¹¹³ PG 142, 276D. Vgl. Cyrillus, *Commentarius in Lucam* 5, 20, PG 72, 704AB.

¹¹⁴ PG 142, 276D.

¹¹⁵ PG 142, 277C. Vgl. Ps.-Dionysius Areopagita, *De divinis Nominibus* II (PTS 33, 132, 1–3 SUCHLA).

¹¹⁶ Vgl. Athanasius Alexandrinus, *Epistula ad Serapionem* I, 2, PG 26, 533B: ὁ παρὰ τοῦ Πατρὸς ἐκπορεύεται, καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ ἴδιον ὄν, παρ' αὐτοῦ δίδοται τοῖς μαθηταῖς καὶ πᾶσι τοῖς πιστεύουσιν εἰς αὐτόν. Ebd. 25; 588C–589 A: Εἰδὲ ὁ Υἱός, ἐπειδὴ ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς ἐστίν, ἴδιος τῆς οὐσίας αὐτοῦ ἐστίν, ἀνάγκη καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα, ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ λεγόμενον, ἴδιον εἶναι κατ' οὐσίαν τοῦ Υἱοῦ.

¹¹⁷ PG 142, 277D–278 A. Vgl. Athanasius Alexandrinus, *Epistula ad Serapionem* I, 19, PG 26, 573B–576 A.

Vater zeugungshaft, der Geist andererseits unaussprechlich aus Gott hervor“.¹¹⁸ Kyprios bringt wiederum eine weitere Basilius-Stelle vor, und zwar aus seiner dogmatischen Schrift *De Spiritu Sancto*, in der Basilius die wesensmäßige Verwandtschaft (κατὰ φύσιν κοινωνίαν) des Geistes von Vater und Sohn zu beweisen versucht. So bewegt er sich in derselben Argumentationslinie und unterscheidet die Existenzweise des Geistes von der aller Geschöpfe, indem er ausführt, der Hl. Geist entstamme Gott auf eine Weise, welche der der Geschöpfe nicht entspreche, aber auch nicht zeugungshaft wie der Sohn, sondern als Geist seines Mundes, als Geist Christi, dem er der Natur nach zugehörig sei.¹¹⁹

Nach Basilius führt Kyprios Gregor von Nyssa ins Feld, welcher in der Trinität eine grundlegende Unterscheidung zwischen dem Verursachenden und Verursachten (αἴτιον–αἰτιατόν) erkennt und damit die innertrinitarischen Verhältnisse zwischen den göttlichen Personen beschreibt. Kyprios widmet einen großen Teil seiner Auslegung einer besonders wichtigen Stelle aus Gregors Schrift *Ad Ablabium*, der die Filioque-Anhänger (im 13. Jahrhundert) große Bedeutung zur Begründung der Idee einer vermittelnden Kausalität des Sohnes beim Hervorgang des Geistes beimaßen.¹²⁰ An dieser Stelle ist vor allem zu erklären, was die vermittelnde Funktion des Sohnes dem Hervorgang (des Geistes) aus dem Vater hinzufügt, und noch mehr ob sie auch eine kausale Bedeutung hat? Kyprios legt die Stelle wörtlich vor: Indem wir das Unveränderte der Natur bekennen, lehnen wir den Unterschied gemäß der Relation Verursachendes–Verursachtes nicht ab, in dem wir nur wahrnehmen, dass sich das eine von dem anderen unterscheidet. Denn wir glauben, das eine sei Verursachendes, das andere sei aus dem Verursachenden. Bezüglich dessen aber, was Verursachtes ist, bemerken wir einen weiteren Unterschied. Denn das eine ist unmittelbar aus dem Ersten, während das andere mittels des unmittelbar (aus dem Ersten Hervorgegangenen) aus dem Ersten ist, so dass das (Attribut)

¹¹⁸ PG 142, 278 A. Vgl. Basilius, Contra Sabelianos et Arianos, PG 31, 616C: ἐπειδὴ καὶ ὁ υἱὸς παρὰ τοῦ πατρὸς ἐξῆλθε καὶ τὸ πνεῦμα ἐκ τοῦ πατρὸς ἐκπορεύεται· ἀλλ’ ὁ μὲν υἱὸς ἐκ τοῦ πατρὸς γεννητῶς, τὸ δὲ πνεῦμα ἀρρήτως ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ.

¹¹⁹ PG 142, 278 A: καὶ ἐν ἑτέροις (sc. an einer anderen Stelle) ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ εἶναι λέγεται τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον, οὐχ ὡς τὰ πάντα ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ, ἀλλ’ ὡς ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ προελθόν, οὐ γεννητῶς ὡς ὁ Υἱός, ἀλλ’ ὡς πνεῦμα στόματος αὐτοῦ καὶ Πνεῦμα Χριστοῦ ὑκειωμένον κατὰ φύσιν αὐτῷ. Vgl. De Spiritu Sancto 18, 46 (SC 17, 408, 1–4. 410, 10–11 PRUSCHE).

¹²⁰ Vgl. Johannes Beccuss, Epigraphae 5 (LAEMMER 472); Konstantin Melitiniotes, Antirreticus I f. 101v fol. 102 (172, 6–11. 174, 13–17 ORPHANOS). Vgl. Gregorius Nyssenus, Ad Ablabium. Quod non sint tres Dei (GNO III/1, 56, 6–10 MUELLER).

„eingeboren“ unbestritten dem Sohn verbleibt und kein Zweifel daran besteht, dass der Geist aus dem Vater ist, da die Mittlerschaft des Sohnes das „eingeboren“ für ihn (den Sohn) wahr, und den Geist von seiner natürlichen (wesenhaften) Beziehung zum Vater nicht ausschließt.¹²¹

Kyprios fragt sich, wo der Sohn an dieser Stelle als Verursachendes auftritt. Und: Wo lasse sich sagen, dass der Geist aus dem Sohn hervorgeht?¹²² Nach Kyprios unterscheidet sich der Sohn vom Vater aufgrund des Verursachtseins, eine Eigenschaft, an der der Geist auch Anteil hat, weil auch dieser Verursachtes vom Vater sei.¹²³ Der Sohn könne weder Verursacher des Geistes sein, noch gehe der Geist aus ihm hervor, so dass er (der Sohn) mittels dessen, was ihn vom Geist unterscheide, mit dem Vater verbunden sei.¹²⁴ Dies heißt: Wenn der Sohn Verursacher des Geistes wäre, hätte er einen gemeinsamen Anknüpfungspunkt mit dem Vater, aufgrund dessen er sich zugleich vom Geist unterschiede. Aber der obigen Textstelle zufolge wird vom Nyssener dem Sohn die gleiche Eigenschaft wie dem Geist zugewiesen. Durch diese Zuweisung sei Gregor von Nyssa der Gefahr einer Vermischung entgangen, weil er ausdrücklich gesagt habe, dass sich der Sohn aufgrund des Verursachtseins vom Vater unterscheide, dass er selbst kein Verursachendes wie der Vater sei, und dass der Geist nicht vom ihm sei; weil er gesagt habe, dass der Geist durch ihn und nicht aus ihm sei, dass er (der Sohn) kein Verursachendes sondern Verursachtes sei.¹²⁵ Die Unterscheidung/Trennung (διαίρεσις), welche Gregor von Nyssa vornimmt, hält den Sohn für keinen Verursacher und den Geist für kein ihm Entstammtes, sondern für ein Verursachtes mittels des Sohnes

¹²¹ Gregorius Nyssenus, Ad Ablabium. Quod non sint tres Dei (*GNO* III/1, 55, 24–56, 10 MUELLER): τὸ ἀπαράλλακτον τῆς φύσεως ὁμολογοῦντες, τὴν κατὰ τὸ αἷτιον καὶ αἰτιατὸν διαφορὰν οὐκ ἄρνούμεθα, ἐν ᾧ μόνῳ διακρίνεσθαι τὸ ἕτερον τοῦ ἑτέρου καταλαμβάνομεν, τῷ τὸ μὲν αἷτιον πιστεύειν εἶναι, τὸ δὲ ἐκ τοῦ αἰτίου· καὶ τοῦ ἐξ αἰτίας ὄντος, ἄλλην πάλιν διαφορὰν ἐννοοῦμεν. Τὸ μὲν γὰρ προσεχῶς ἐκ τοῦ πρώτου, τὸ δὲ διὰ τοῦ προσεχῶς ἐκ τοῦ πρώτου· ὥστε καὶ τὸ μονογενὲς ἀναντίρρητον ἐπὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ μένειν, καὶ τὸ ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς εἶναι τὸ Πνεῦμα μὴ ἀμφιβάλλειν, τῆς τοῦ Υἱοῦ μεσιτείας καὶ ἑαυτῷ τὸ μονογενὲς φυλαττοῦσης, καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα τῆς φυσικῆς πρὸς τὸν Πατέρα σχέσεως μὴ ἀπειργούσης.

¹²² *PG* 142, 279B: Ἡ μὲν οὖν ῥῆσις τοιαύτη· ποῦ δὲ ἐνταῦθα αἷτιον ὁ Υἱός; ποῦ τὸ Πνεῦμα ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ;

¹²³ *PG* 142, 279B: Διακρίνεται (sc. ὁ Υἱός) μὲν γάρ ... τοῦ Πατρὸς τῷ αἰτιατὸς εἶναι, κὰν τούτῳ ἦνῳται τῷ Πνεύματι, καὶ αὐτῷ αἰτιατῷ ὄντι ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς.

¹²⁴ *PG* 142, 279B: οὐ μὴν ἔστι καὶ τοῦ Πνεύματος αἷτιος (sc. ὁ Υἱός), οὐ δὲ ἐξ αὐτοῦ τὸ Πνεῦμα, ἵν' οἷς διακρίνεται τοῦ Πνεύματος συνάπτηται τῷ Πατρί.

¹²⁵ *PG* 142, 279C.

(vom Vater).¹²⁶ Nach dieser ersten kurzen Auslegung wendet Kyprios gegen seinen Gegner ein: „Siehst du nicht ein, dass (Gregor) nur im Blick auf das Verursachtsein den Sohn vom Vater unterscheidet und ihn mit dem Geist in Verbindung bringt? Im Hinblick auf das Verursachersein aber verbindet er ihn (den Sohn) weder mit dem Vater noch unterscheidet er ihn vom Geist“.¹²⁷

Die Absicht des Nyssenens an dieser Stelle war, fährt Kyprios fort, weder die Eigenschaft des Hervorbringens noch das Ursachesein dem Vater zu entziehen. Hätte er das getan, hätte er zugleich beide Eigenschaften auf den Sohn übertragen.¹²⁸ (Und) in einem solchen Fall wäre der Geist, da unmittelbar aus dem Sohn hervorgegangen, nicht aus dem Vater hervorgegangen. Eher wäre er gezeugt, wenn anders auch der Sohn, von dem der Geist ist, dem Vater zeugungshaft entstammt.¹²⁹ Wäre wiederum der Vater nicht Hervorbringer des Geistes, dann wäre er im eigentlichen Sinne kein Verursacher (κυρίως αἷτιος), weil das andere neben ihm stehende Verursachende (sc. der Sohn) nicht auf ihn als den Hauptverursachenden zurückzuführen wäre.¹³⁰ Wenn wiederum absurd ist, dass der Sohn den Geist zeugt, dann wäre es eher passender, dem Sohn als dem Vater das Hervorbringen-Lassen beizulegen.¹³¹ Wenn er also als Hervorbringer erscheint, dann entsteht der unausweichliche Widerspruch, dass sich der Sohn als etwas erweist, das etwas Gegensätzliches in sich enthält. Denn er ist zugleich Verursacher und Verursachtes.¹³² Eine solche Alternative ist aber unhaltbar; denn sie lässt die theologische Position Gregors von Nazianz außer Acht, nach der, dem Sohn alles, was der Vater besitzt, zugesprochen wird, ausgenommen das Verursachersein. Denn der Begriff der Ursache schließt eine Ursache

¹²⁶ PG 142, 279C.

¹²⁷ PG 142, 279D–280 A: Οὐχ ὁρᾷς ὡς τῷ αἰτιατῷ μόνῳ διαστέλλει τὸν Υἱὸν τοῦ Πατρὸς, καὶ συνάπτει τῷ Πνεύματι; τῷ δὲ αἰτίῳ οὔτε τῷ Πατρὶ συνάπτει, καὶ οὐ διαστέλλει τοῦ Πνεύματος.

¹²⁸ PG 142, 280B: Οὐ τοῦτό γε δὴ βούλεται ὁ Νύσσης Γρηγόριος, οὐδὲ ἦν σκοπὸς αὐτῷ ἀφελέσθαι τὸν Πατέρα καὶ τὴν ἐκπόρευσιν καὶ τὴν αἰτίαν τοῦ Πνεύματος. Ἀφαιροῖτο δι' αὐτὸν εἰς Υἱὸν μετατιθέμενος τοῦτο.

¹²⁹ PG 142, 280B: Τότε γὰρ προσεχῶς ἐκ τοῦ Υἱοῦ ἐκπορευόμενον, ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς οὐκ ἂν ἐκπορευόιτο. Γεννῶτο δὲ μᾶλλον εἴπερ καὶ ὁ Υἱὸς ἐξ οὗ καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα, ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς γεννητῶς.

¹³⁰ PG 142, 280C.

¹³¹ PG 142, 280D: διατὶ μᾶλλον οὐχὶ γεννᾷν τὸ Πνεῦμα πρὸς τὰς ὑμετέρας ὑποθέσεις, ἀλλὰ προβάλλειν δικαιότερος ὁ Υἱός;

¹³² PG 142, 280D: δεῖ γὰρ αὐτὸν αἷτιον ὄντα καὶ αἰτιατὸν καθ' ὑμᾶς.

neben ihr oder mit ihr (συναίτιον) aus.¹³³ Wäre die Mit-Ursächlichkeit des Sohnes beim Hervorgang des Geistes tatsächlich in Geltung, wäre das Axiom der Monarchie, der einzigen Ursache, sofort aufgehoben.¹³⁴

Der Beweisgang, jede Nuance von Ursächlichkeit der Hypostase des Sohnes abzusprechen, reicht für eine vollkommene Auslegung der gregorianischen Stelle nicht aus. Es bleibt immer noch erläuterungsbedürftig, was Gregor unter dem Ausdruck διὰ τοῦ προσεχῶς meint. Kyprios sieht sich genötigt, auf diese Frage gründlich einzugehen.¹³⁵

Anhand der in der Bibel vorhandenen Aufforderung des Herrn an seine Jünger, das Evangelium zu verkünden (μαθητεύσατε πάντα τὰ ἔθνη, βαπτίζοντες αὐτοὺς εἰς τὸ ὄνομα τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος)¹³⁶, erkennt Kyprios eine Ordnung beim Ausruf der Namen der göttlichen Personen. In dieser Zusammenordnung (σύνταξις) kommt notwendig unmittelbar nach dem Namen des Vaters der des Sohnes und nachher der des Geistes. Diese Zusammenordnung hat also eine biblische Begründung.¹³⁷ Aber es nicht nur dies. Es ist auch die Kraft jedes einzigen Namens, welche den anderen (Namen) nach sich zieht, und keinen denkbaren Abstand zwischen beiden zulässt.¹³⁸ Einerseits hindert die Kraft der Namen daran, dass man den Geist unmittelbar nach dem Vater nennt, und verbindet sie so den Sohn direkt mit dem Vater, andererseits verbietet der arithmetische Fortschritt dem Zählenden, nach der einen Monas zwei (Monaden) aufzuzählen.¹³⁹ Dies

¹³³ PG 142, 283AB. Vgl. Gregorius Nazianzenus, Or. 34, 10 (216, 13–14 MORESCHINI).

¹³⁴ PG 142, 283B.

¹³⁵ PG 142, 283B: Ἄλλ' ἀνακτέον πάλιν ἐπὶ τὴν ῥῆσιν, καὶ τὸ προσεχῶς καὶ τὸ διὰ τοῦ προσεχῶς, ὃ τι ποτὲ βούλεται τῷ δασκάλῳ σκεψώμεθα.

¹³⁶ Matth. 28, 19.

¹³⁷ PG 142, 283D: μόνη τῇ συντάξει τῶν ὀνομάτων μετὰ τὸν Υἱὸν ἢ τοῦ Πνεύματος κλήσις προφέρεται. Ἀλλὰ καὶ διὰ τὴν ἐντολὴν μὲν καὶ τὸν παρὰ τοῦ Σωτῆρος τύπον τῆς ἐκφωνήσεως...

¹³⁸ PG 142, 283D: καὶ διὰ τῶν κλήσεων δύναμιν, λέγω τῆς Πατρὸς καὶ Υἱοῦ, αἱ γε σχετικαὶ οὐσαι, καὶ ἀλλήλων ἐφελκυστικαί, οὐδέν τι τῶν ἀπάντων μεταξὺ καταδέχονται, διὰ τοῦτο προσεχῶς ὁ Υἱὸς τῷ Πατρί. Vgl. Gregorius Nyssenus, *Eun.* I (GNO I 138, 6–10 JAEGER): ἐξ αὐτοῦ (sc. τοῦ Πατρὸς) δὲ κατὰ τὸ προσεχὲς ἀδιαστάτως ὁ μονογενὴς υἱὸς τῷ πατρὶ συνεπινοεῖται, δι' αὐτοῦ δὲ καὶ μετ' αὐτοῦ, πρὶν τι κενόν τε καὶ ἀνυπόστατον διὰ μέσου παρεμπεσεῖν νόημα, εὐθὺς καὶ τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον συνημμένως καταλαμβάνεται.

¹³⁹ PG 142, 283D–284 A: Τὸ δὲ Πνεῦμα εἴργει μὲν προσεχῶς εἰπεῖν ἢ τῶν ὀνομάτων δύναμις, Υἱὸν ἀμέσως συνάπτουσα τῷ Πατρί, εἴργει δὲ καὶ ἡ πρόοδος τοῦ ἀριθμοῦ, οὐδέποτε' εὐθὺς τῷ ἀριθμοῦντι μετὰ μίαν δύο προδεικνύσα μονάδας. Vgl. Gregorius Nyssenus, *Hexaemeron*, PG 44, 85C: οὐδὲν γὰρ ἑτερόν ἐστιν ἀριθμός, εἰ μὴ μονάδων σύνθεσις.

heißt: Die Zahl Drei ist in drei Einheiten-Monaden geteilt. Der einen Monas folgt die andere und der die andere. Die menschliche Vernunft ist nicht in der Lage, alle drei auf einmal zu nennen. Sie ist von Natur aus gezwungen, sie bruchstückhaftig darzulegen. Darüber hinaus impliziert die Zusammenordnung der Namen keine Seinsabstufung.¹⁴⁰ Sie bringt nur die wesensmäßige Verbindung (συνάφεια) der Personen miteinander zum Ausdruck und verdankt ihren Charakter der begrifflichen Assoziation zwischen den Namen bzw. zwischen Vater und Sohn.¹⁴¹ Der Begriff des Vaters impliziert den des Sohnes und umgekehrt.

Der Sohn sei also unmittelbar (προσεχῶς) dem Vater nachgeordnet, nicht weil er Verursacher des Geistes ist, sondern weil er einziggeborener Sohn ist – direkt mit dem Vater mitgedacht.¹⁴² Hätte man den Namen des Vaters durch den Namen des Hervorbringers (προβολεύς) ersetzen wollen, wäre dann nicht der Sohn unmittelbar nach dem Vater, sondern das Hervorgebrachte (τὸ πρόβλημα) mitzudenken?¹⁴³ Die sogenannte Mittlerschaft des Sohnes hindert weder die wesensmäßige Beziehung des Geistes zum Vater noch durchbricht sie diese.¹⁴⁴ Sie ist nur im Sinne einer gedanklichen Priorität (προεπινοήσις) des Sohnes dem Geist gegenüber zu erklären. Sie bezieht sich wiederum auf gar keinen Fall auf das ins Sein-Gelangen des Geistes und stellt keinen Hinweis auf die Existenz des Sohnes als Ursache des Geistes dar.¹⁴⁵

¹⁴⁰ PG 142, 284A: καὶ τρίτον ἐκφέρεται (sc. τὸ ἄγ. Πνεῦμα) οὐ διὰ τὴν ἀκολουθίαν τοῦ εἶναι ... μόνην δὲ τὴν ἀπὸ τῶν ὀνομάτων σύνταξιν.

¹⁴¹ PG 142, 284A: ἡ Πατρὸς καὶ Υἱοῦ τὴν πρὸς ἕτερον ἀναγκάζει συνάφειαν.

¹⁴² PG 142, 286D: Προσεχῶς... ὁ Υἱός, οὐχ ἴν' αἴτιος, ὥς ὑμεῖς φατέ, εἴη τοῦ Πνεύματος, ἀλλ' ἐπειδὴ μονογενής ἐστὶν Υἱός, ἔστιν εὐθὺς συνεπινοούμενος τῷ Πατρί. Vgl. auch Gregorius Nyssenus, *Refutatio confessionis Eunomii* (GNO II 315, 3–9 JAEGER): ὅταν γὰρ ἀκούσωμεν πατέρα, ταύτην ἀναλαμβάνομεν τὴν διάνοιαν, ὅτι τὸ ὄνομα τοῦτο οὐκ ἐφ' ἑαυτοῦ νοεῖται μόνον, ἀλλὰ καὶ τὴν πρὸς τὸν υἱὸν σχέσιν διὰ τῆς ἰδίας ἐμφάσεως ἀποσημαίνει. οὐ γὰρ ἂν πατήρ κεχωρισμένος ἐφ' ἑαυτοῦ νοηθεῖν, μὴ υἱὸς συνημμένου διὰ τῆς τοῦ πατρὸς ἐκφωνήσεως. πατέρα οὖν μαθόντες τῇ αὐτῇ φωνῇ καὶ τὴν εἰς τὸν υἱὸν πίστιν συνεδιδάχθημεν.

¹⁴³ PG 142, 284 A: εἰ μὴ τι βούλεται τὸ Πατρὸς ὄνομα εἰς προβολέα μεταβαλεῖν, τότε γὰρ προσεχῶς οὐ τὸν Υἱὸν ἂν ἴδῃς, αὐτὸ δὲ τὸ πρόβλημα ἐφελκόμενον.

¹⁴⁴ PG 142, 287A.

¹⁴⁵ PG 142, 287D: Ἐπεὶπερ αἴτιος μὲν Υἱοῦ καὶ Πνεύματος ὁ Πατήρ, τῷ Πατρὶ δὲ ἡ Πατρὶ εὐθὺς συνεπινοεῖται ὁ Υἱὸς κατὰ τὴν τῶν πρὸς τι φύσιν ὑπ' ἀλλήλων συναγομένων τῷ λόγῳ, φησί, τῆς αἰτίας, ἥτοι τῆς πρὸς τὸν Πατέρα τὸν αἴτιον σχέσεως, προεπινοεῖται τοῦ Πνεύματος ὁ Υἱός, ἀλλ' οὐχὶ καὶ κατὰ τὴν τοῦ εἶναι πρόοδον, οὐδὲ τῷ αἰτίαν αὐτὸν ὑπάρχειν τοῦ Πνεύματος.

Diesen nicht kausalen Charakter der Mittlerschaft des Sohnes erläutert Kyprios durch die häufig von den Vätern¹⁴⁶ verwendete Metapher der Sonne, die mittels des Strahls das Licht hervorbringt. Ebenso wie das Licht mittels des Strahls aus der Sonne hervorströmt und sie als Quelle und Ursache seines Daseins und als dasjenige besitzt, das es sich wesensmäßig ergießen lässt, so geht der Geist, dem Vater entstammend, durch den Sohn hervor. Genau so wie das Licht, aus der Sonne hervorgehend, hervorleuchtet, mittels des Strahls, dem es jedoch weder seine Existenz noch sein ins Sein-Gelangen verdankt, so strahlt der Geist vom Vater naturhaft ausgehend durch den Sohn aus.¹⁴⁷

Die oben vorgelegte Auslegung der Gregorstelle durch Kyprios im Sinne einer nicht kausalen Mittlerschaft hat breiten Anklang bei seinen Nachfolgern, besonders bei Gregor Palamas gefunden. Palamas' Interpretation bewegt sich auch auf den gleichen Bahnen, wenn er im Ausdruck des *διὰ τοῦ προσεχοῦς* die begriffliche Assoziation zwischen einem Vater und einem Sohn sieht, nach der der eine Begriff den anderen impliziert. So denkt man den Geist durch den unmittelbar zum Vater gedachten Sohn dem (entstammend), der ihn hervorgehen lässt.¹⁴⁸

¹⁴⁶ Vgl. Athanasius, *Contra Arianos* 3, 15; *PG* 26, 352C–353 A; Gregorius Nazianzenus, *Oratio* 31, 32 (338, 1–3 GALLAY); Gregorius Nyssenus, *Contra Eunomium* III (*GNO* II 190, 17–27 JAEGER).

¹⁴⁷ *PG* 142, 287BC: ... δι' αὐτοῦ δὴ τοῦ Υἱοῦ προέρχεται καὶ ἐκλάμπει· τέλειον πλὴν ἔχον τὸ εἶναι παρ' αὐτοῦ τοῦ Πατρὸς, καθ' ὃν δὴ τρόπον καὶ τὸ φῶς εἴρηται διὰ τῆς ἀκτίδος ἐκ τοῦ ἡλίου, ἔχον μὲν πηγὴν καὶ αἰτίαν τοῦ εἶναι, καὶ προχέα κατὰ φύσιν τὸν ἥλιον ὡς ἀρχὴν αὐτοῦ φυσικὴν, δι' ὃν δὲ ὅμως ἡ καὶ προῖον καὶ ἐκλάμπον διὰ τῆς ἀκτίδος, ἐξ ἧς οὐχ ὑπαρξίς τῷ φωτὶ οὐδ' οὐσίωσις. Die gleiche Metapher verwendeten zur Begründung des Filioque aber auch die byzantinischen Filioquisten des 13. Jahrhunderts. Genau wie der Strahl zur Erscheinung des Lichtes, das aus der Sonne hervorgeht, beiträgt, so tritt der Sohn ins Mittel beim Hervorgang des Geistes aus dem Vater. Vgl. Konstantin Melitiniotes, *De processione Spiritus sancti* 1, 29, *PG* 141, 1089 A; 2, 5; 1153CD; Johannes Beccus, *De unione Ecclesiarum* 3, *PG* 141, 132B; *Refutatio libri Photii* 19, *PG* 141, 781 A; Georgius Metochites, *Ad Maximum Planudem*, *PG* 141, 1284C.

¹⁴⁸ Gregorios Palamas, *Apodeixis B'* 54 (Γρηγορίου τοῦ Παλαμᾶ Συγγράμματα I–V, ed. P. CHRESTU/B. BOBRINSKY, Thessalonike 1988, 127, 30–128, 3): Ὁ μὲν υἱὸς ἐκ τοῦ πατρὸς καὶ ἔστι καὶ νοεῖται, τὸ δὲ πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον δι' ἑαυτὸ μὲν ἐκ προβολέως εἶη ἂν καὶ νοηθεῖν, ἀλλ' οὐκ ἐκ πατρὸς διὰ δὲ τοῦ προσεχῶς νοουμένου ἐκ πατρὸς, υἱοῦ, καὶ ἐκ πατρὸς εἶη ἂν τὸ πνεῦμα, ἐκπορεύοντος μὲν αὐτὸ τὸ πνεῦμα γεννῶντος δὲ τὸν υἱόν (Einerseits ist der Sohn aus dem Vater und wird [auch] als ihm [entstammend] begriffen; andererseits dürfte der hl. Geist an sich einem [ihn] Hervorbringenden entstammen und [eben so] begriffen werden, nicht jedoch [unmittelbar] dem Vater; mithin wäre der Hl. Geist durch den unmittelbar zum Vater gedachten Sohn aus dem Vater (entstammend) zu begreifen, welcher einerseits den Geist selbst hervorbringt, andererseits den Sohn zeugt].

Für eine gedankliche Verknüpfung des Begriffs des Vaters mit dem des Sohnes, welche zu einer logischen und nicht seinsmäßigen Vorrangstellung des Sohnes gegenüber dem Geist bei Ausruf und Aufzählung der drei Hypostasen führt, plädiert auch Nilus Kabasilas, der sogar behauptet, dass auch der Hl. Geist nur gedanklich dem Sohn vorangestellt werden könnte, und dies aufgrund seiner direkten kausalen Beziehung zu seinem Hervorbringer (sc. dem Vater) und wenn die Bezeichnung des Hervorbringers für den Vater in den Vordergrund gestellt wird. Es ist genau das, was Kyprios vertritt: Das Hervorgebrachte (πρόβλημα) ist unmittelbar auf seinen Hervorbringer zurückzuführen.¹⁴⁹

Diese bemerkenswerte Interpretationsalternative der Stelle aus Gregor von Nyssa, welche uns die Bekämpfer des Filioqueansatzes in Byzanz geliefert haben, hat bis heute keine entsprechende Beachtung bei den Gelehrten des Westens gefunden. So behaupten sie, dass die Ausdrücke κατὰ τὸ προσεχὲς und διὰ μέσου kein direktes Hindernis für die Zeugung des Sohnes sowie für seine Mittlerschaft beim Ausgang des Geistes darstellen.¹⁵⁰ Ihnen fällt auch nicht schwer, einen Hervorgang des Geistes *per Filium* im immanenten Sinn mit dem trinitarischen Dogma Gregors zu vereinen.¹⁵¹ Sie sehen die Rolle des Sohnes beim in Erscheinung-Bringen des Geistes nicht nur auf die temporale Dimension beschränkt und bekräftigen daher die These einer Kontinuität zwischen Theologia und Oikonomia bei Gregor von Nyssa.¹⁵² Einer solchen Kontinuität, sogar einem Entsprechungsverhältnis zwischen Immanenz und heilsgeschichtliche Offenbarung¹⁵³ widerspricht Kyprios

¹⁴⁹ De processione Spiritus sancti II, 25, 1 Marcianus gr. II 9, fol. 162v. Zitiert bei K. LIAKURAS, Ἡ περὶ ἐκπορεύσεως τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος διδασκαλία τοῦ Νείλου Καβάσιλα. Athen 1997, 194.

¹⁵⁰ Vgl. A. DE HALLEUX, «Manifesté par le fils». Aux origines d'une formule pneumatologique. *Revue Théologique de Louvain* 20 (1989) 24.

¹⁵¹ B. STUDER, *Mysterium Caritatis*. Studien zur Exegese und zur Trinitätslehre in der Alten Kirche. *Studia Anselmiana*, 127. Rom 1999, 450.

¹⁵² G. MASPERO, *Trinity and Man*. Gregory of Nyssa's *Ad Ablabium*. *Vigiliae Christianae, Suppl.* 86. Leiden 2007, 176.

¹⁵³ Dieses Entsprechungsverhältnis, das später die westliche Theologie prägen wird, lässt sich bei Augustinus deutlich erkennen: „et sicut spiritui sancto donum dei esse est a patre procedere, ita mitti est cognosci quod ab illo procedat“. (Wie für den Hl. Geist Geschenk-Gottes-sein so viel ist wie aus dem Vater hervorgehen, so bedeutet für ihn Gesandtwerden so viel wie erkennen lassen, dass er aus ihm hervorgeht). Vgl. *De trinitate* IV 20, 29 (*De trinitate libri XV*, ed. W.J. MOUNTAIN/F. GLORIE. CC, 50. Turnhout 1968, 199, 101–102). Dazu siehe B. OBERDORFER, *Filioque*. Geschichte und Theologie eines ökumenischen Problems. *Forschungen zur systematischen und ökumenischen Theologie*, 96. Göttingen 2001, 125.

mit Nachdruck. In *De Processione Spiritus sancti* unterlässt er es nicht, auf eine solche Frage einzugehen. Er erhebt gewichtige Einwände gegen diejenigen, welche die Existenz des Schöpfers auf eine solche Weise auslegen, die der Weise der Erschaffung der Geschöpfe entspricht!¹⁵⁴ Dieser klar ausgesprochene Vorwurf gegen die Filioquisten hat einen konkreten Ausgangspunkt: ihren Versuch, den Vorwurf der Dyarchie¹⁵⁵ von sich zu weisen. Dies erfolgt, indem sie den Vater und den Sohn in ein einziges Verursachendes zusammenführen. Nach ihrer Auffassung, wie sie Kyprios darstellt, seien der Sohn wie auch der Vater wahrhaft Verursacher des Geistes; trotzdem sei der Verursacher einer und nicht zwei.¹⁵⁶ Dies erklärt sich aus der Übertragung ökonomischer Verhältnisse auf das innertrinitarische Sein Gottes und zwar aus der willkürlichen Vermischung der Eigenschaft des Schöpfer-Seins mit der des Ursache-Seins. Wenn Vater und Sohn als ein Schöpfer in Bezug auf die Seienden auftreten, dann sind sie genau so ein Verursacher im Hinblick auf den Geist.¹⁵⁷ Dieser Gedanke, der übrigens den Ausgangspunkt der Argumentation seitens der Filioquisten bildet,¹⁵⁸ erweist einen strukturellen Zusammenhang mit dem augustinischen Denken, das einen enormen Einfluss auf die westliche Position im Mittelalter ausgeübt hat, wie es sich im Synodalbeschluss von Lyon erkennen lässt.¹⁵⁹ So steht bei Augustin: „Wenn also das, was gegeben wird, den Geber zum Urgrund hat, weil dieser nicht anderswoher nimmt, was aus ihm hervorgeht, dann muss man gestehen, dass Vater und Sohn der

¹⁵⁴ PG 142, 281C: Πρὸς δὲ ταῦτα ἄλλος μὲν ἂν τις ἴσως ἔσχε σιγῇ βύσας καὶ τὰ ὅτα, μὴ θεμιτὸν κρίνας πρὸς ἄνδρας, οἱ τὴν τοῦ ποιητοῦ τῆς κτίσεως ὑπαρξιν καθ' ὁμοιότητα τῶν ποιημάτων τροπολογοῦσιν.

¹⁵⁵ PG 142, 281B: τὸ καθ' ὑμῶν ἐπαγόμενον τῆς δυαρχίας ἔγκλημα.

¹⁵⁶ PG 142, 281B: Καὶ πῶς, φησι, βεβαιῶ, εἴπερ εἰς ἓν τὸν Πατέρα καὶ Υἱὸν συνάγομεν αἴτιον; καὶ γὰρ ἐστὶν αἴτιος παρ' ἡμῖν ὁ Πατήρ; ἔστι δὲ καὶ ἀληθὺς ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Πνεύματος, ἀλλ' εἰς αἴτιος καὶ οὐ δύο.

¹⁵⁷ PG 142, 281B: Καίτοι τοῦτο ὡς καλῶς ἔχον ἐστί, σαφέστατα ἂν καὶ βραχὺς ἀποδείξειε λόγος. Δημιουργὸς ἐστὶ τε καὶ λέγεται ὁ Πατήρ. Δημιουργὸς καὶ ὁ Υἱός, ἐξ αὐτοῦ γὰρ καὶ δι' αὐτοῦ τὰ πάντα ἐγένετο. Δημιουργὸς καὶ δημιουργός, ἀλλ' εἰς δημιουργός. Τοῦτό φησι καὶ ἐπὶ τοῦ αἰτίου, καὶ Πατρὸς καὶ Υἱοῦ μεταγαγόν, καλῶς ἡμῶν τὸ ἐν αἴτιον καὶ τὴν μοναρχίαν εὐρήσεις. Αὐτοὶ μὲν οὖν ταῦτα.

¹⁵⁸ Vgl. Konstantin Meliteniotes, *Antirrheticus* I f. 91v (143, 9–144 ORPHANOS): οὐ δύο τοῦ Πνεύματος ἀντιδιηρημένα πρὸς ἀλλήλας ἀρχαί, μία δὲ μᾶλλον, καὶ εἰς αἴτιος ὁ Πατήρ, διὰ τοῦ Υἱοῦ γε μὴν, οἷα φυσικῶς μεσιτεύοντος.

¹⁵⁹ Vgl. H. DENZINGER/P. HÜNERMANN, *Enchiridion Symbolorum definitionem et declarationum de rebus Fidei et Morum*. Freiburg im Br. 2001, Nr. 850: Spiritus Sanctus aeternaliter ex Patre et Filio, non tanquam ex duobus principiis, sed tanquam ex uno principio, non duabus spirationibus, sed unica spiratione procedit.

Urgrund des Hl. Geistes sind; nicht zwei Urgründe, sondern wie Vater und Sohn ein Gott sind und in Bezug auf die Schöpfung ein Schöpfer und ein Herr, so sind sie in Bezug auf den Hl. Geist ein Urgrund“.¹⁶⁰

Wie reagiert Kyprios auf eine solche Alternative? Er fragt: Nennt die Schrift den Vater, den Sohn und den Geist im einzelnen Schöpfer und Verursacher der Seienden, bezeichnet sie aber den Sohn weder als Verursacher, noch als Ursprung zusammen mit dem Vater auf besondere Weise in Hinblick auf die Theologie? Man solle zuerst beweisen, dass der Sohn an sich als Verursacher genannt wird, bevor man ihn mit dem Vater in ein Verursachendes zusammenführt.¹⁶¹ Ein weiterer Gedanke: Welche Art von Einheit stellt das Eins-Sein der Ursache dar? Eines, das sich auf die Usia bezieht? Wird dann der Geist, der Eines im Blick auf die Usia mit dem Vater und dem Sohn ist, auch die Eigenschaft des Hervorbringens und Ausgehenlassens nicht haben?¹⁶² Mit anderen Worten: Wenn man aus der Art von Einheit zwischen Vater und Sohn, die sich bei ihrer schöpferischen Tätigkeit feststellen lässt und die auf die Einheit des Wesens zurückzuführen ist, indem man sie auf die innertrinitarischen Verhältnisse überträgt, auf die Einheit des Verursacherseins rückschließt, sollte man dann aus dieser Art von Einheit (sc. des Verursacherseins) den Geist nicht ausschließen, da er am heilsgeschichtlichen Werk Gottes den gleichen Anteil wie die zwei anderen Personen hat? Wenn die trinitarischen Personen nach außen strikt gemeinsam und untrennbar wirken, sollten sie sich in ihrem ewigen Sein ähnlich verhalten.

Die Vermischung zwischen Theologie und Ökonomie verschärft sich noch mehr, wenn man aus der Verleihung, (χορηγία) Sendung (πέμψις) und Ausgießung (ἐκχυσις) des Geistes, Rückschlüsse auf die ewigen von

¹⁶⁰ Vgl. De Trinitate V 14, 15 (223, 30–35 MOUNTAIN/GLORIE): *Si ergo et quod datur principium habet eum a quo datur quia non aliunde accepit illud quod ab ipso procedit, fatendum est patrem et filium principium esse spiritus sancti, non duo principia, sed sicut pater et filius unus deus et ad creaturam relative unus creator et unus dominus, sic relative ad spiritum sanctum unum principium;...*

¹⁶¹ PG 142, 281D–282 A: Εἴρηται μὲν οὖν διὰ τοῦ Υἱοῦ τὸ Πνεῦμα ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς, αἴτιος δὲ ὁ Υἱὸς οὐκ εἴρηται, οὐδὲ ρίζα, οὐδ’ ἀρχή, οὐδὲ προβολή. Ὁ δὲ Πατὴρ ταῦτα πάντα καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Πνεύματος. Εἰ τοίνυν δημιουργὸς μὲν ἰδίᾳ καὶ μετὰ τοῦ Πατρὸς ὁ Υἱὸς αἴτιος δὲ οὐκ ἰδίᾳ οὔτε μετὰ τοῦ Πατρὸς, φησὶν ἡ Γραφή, οὐκ ἄρα καθ’ ὁμοιότητα τοῦ δημιουργοῦ καὶ δημιουργοῦ εἰς ἓνα συναγομένων καὶ τὰ ὑμέτερα τοῦ Πνεύματος αἴτια εἰς ἓν συναθροίσεται. Ἐχρῆν γὰρ πρὶν ἢ συναγαγεῖν, καὶ ὅτι καθ’ αὐτόν ὁ Υἱὸς αἴτιος λέγεται δεικνύναι.

¹⁶² PG 142, 282C: Ἐνταῦθα δὲ ποία τις ἐνότης τὸ ἐν τῆς αἰτίας παρίστησιν; Πότερον τῆς οὐσίας; Καὶ πῶς ἐν κατ’ οὐσίαν Πατρὶ τε καὶ Υἱῷ τὸ Πνεῦμα θεολογούμενον οὐκ ἂν καὶ αὐτὸ προβλητικὸν ἔσται καὶ ἐκπορευτικόν;

der menschlichen Vernunft unbegreiflichen Hervorgänge zieht. Man darf nicht Zeugung und Hervorgang mit dem ökonomischen Wirken Gottes parallel denken oder gleichsetzen.¹⁶³ Diese Gleichsetzung hat wegen der Unterscheidung zwischen Wesen und Wirkung Gottes keine Gültigkeit. Letztere ist diejenige, welche grundsätzlich das Verhältnis zwischen Theologie und Ökonomie bestimmt. Das was gesendet, verliehen, und ausgegossen wird, ist nicht die Hypostase des Geistes selbst, sondern sind seine Gnadengaben wegen des Wohlwollens (εὐδοκία) und der Anpassung an die menschlichen Umstände (συγκατάβασις).¹⁶⁴ Der Geist ist nicht identisch mit den Gaben selbst, sondern er ist deren Bewirker.¹⁶⁵ Nur uneigentlich überträgt man auf ihn die Bezeichnung Gabe oder Wirkung (ἐνέργεια), aufgrund seiner Wohltaten und Spenden.¹⁶⁶ Diese auf die heilsgeschichtliche Offenbarung bezogenen Werke Gottes, wie πέμψις, χορηγία und δόσις der Gaben des Geistes sind deutlich die Erfüllung des göttlichen Willens (θελήματος πληρώσεις) und nicht des Wesens.¹⁶⁷ Gäbe es nicht die Unterscheidung zwischen Wesen und Willens-Energien Gottes, wären auch der Hl. Geist

¹⁶³ PG 142, 282D–283 A: ἐκ παραλλήλου τιθέμενοι ὥσπερ αὐτὴν τὴν γέννησιν καὶ αὐτὴν ἐκπόρευσιν, ὡς ἂν ἐντεῦθεν σκαιῶς τε καὶ ἀμαθῶς ἐκείθεν ὑπαρξιν τῷ Πνεύματι νέμωσιν, ὅθεν ἐκχεῖσθαι καὶ χορηγεῖσθαι καὶ πέμπεσθαι λέγεται, ὥσπερ ὅθεν καὶ ἐκπορεύεται, τὸν οὐρανὸν εἰς γῆν κλίνοντες καὶ μινύοντες ἃ μὴ πέφυκε, καὶ πάντα φέροντες καὶ συγχέοντες. Vgl. Sabbatos, Ἡ θεολογικὴ ὁρολογία (wie oben Fußnote 10) 62.

¹⁶⁴ PG 142, 288B.

¹⁶⁵ PG 142, 288B: Ἄλλ' ἴσως ὅτι δωρεὰ τὸ Πνεῦμα; Καὶ τί παρὰ τοῦτο. Ἴδου γὰρ καὶ ὁ Υἱός, ἁγιασμός, καὶ δικαιοσύνη, καὶ εἰρήνη ... παρὰ τῷ Ἀποστόλῳ οὐχ ὡς αὐτοῦ ὄντος ταῦτα, ἀλλ' ἐνεργήσαντος.

¹⁶⁶ PG 142, 288C: ἐπειδὴ παρ' αὐτοῦ (sc. τοῦ Πνεύματος) πᾶν ἀγαθὸν εἰς ἡμᾶς ἵκει, καὶ ὅσαι εἰς ἀνθρώπους εὐεργεσίαι, θεόθεν, αὐτοῦ εἰσιν ἐνέργειαι καὶ δωρεαί, εἰκότως ἐνέργεια κέκληται καὶ δωρεά. Die Nichtgleichsetzung des Subjekts mit dem Namen und die Bildung der Namen aufgrund der Wirkungen Gottes ist eine bei den Kappadoziern weit verbreitete Idee, die Kyprios hier übernimmt. Vgl. Gregorius Nyssenus, Contra Eunomium II (GNO I 306, 1–3 JAEGER): ἄλλο μὲν ἐστὶ τῇ φύσει τὸ ὑποκείμενον πρᾶγμα, ἕτερον δὲ τὸ σημαντικὸν τοῦ πράγματος ὄνομα; ebd. (268, 27–29): ὀνομάζεται (sc. ὁ θεός) δὲ παρὰ τῶν ἐπικαλουμένων οὐκ αὐτὸ ὃ ἐστὶν (ἄφραστος γὰρ ἡ φύσις τοῦ ὄντος) ἀλλ' ἐξ ὧν ἐνεργεῖν τι περὶ τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν πεπίστευται. Vgl. auch ebd. (329, 9–12). Für die Unterscheidung zwischen Gabe und Hypostase des Geistes stützt sich hier Kyprios auf Athanasius, den er wörtlich zitiert. Vgl. Epistula ad Serapionem I, 20, PG 26, 580 A: Ἐνὸς γὰρ ὄντος τοῦ Υἱοῦ τοῦ ζῶντος Λόγου, μίαν εἶναι δεῖ τελείαν καὶ πλήρη τὴν ἁγιαστικὴν καὶ φωτιστικὴν ζωσαν ἐνέργειαν αὐτοῦ καὶ δωρεάν, ἥτις ἐκ Πατρὸς λέγεται ἐκπορεύεσθαι, ἐπειδὴ παρὰ τοῦ Λόγου τοῦ ἐκ Πατρὸς ὁμολογουμένου ἐκλάμπει, καὶ ἀποστέλλεται καὶ δίδοται. Vgl. Gregorios Kyprios, PG 142, 288AB.

¹⁶⁷ PG 142, 282D.

und seine Gaben ununterscheidbar, d.h. wäre die Trennungslinie zwischen dem Teilhabbaren und Unteilhabbaren (μεθεκτόν–ἀμέθεκτον) aufgehoben und damit eine pantheistische Auffassung der Welt zuwege gebracht.

Vor einer solchen Auffassung warnt Kyprios, indem er am Ende von *De Processione* ein wichtiges Zitat aus Dionysius Areopagita in den Vordergrund rückt: „Und wie wird je die Gabe mit dem Schenkenden wesenseins sein? Wie wird sie mit ihm im Blick auf die Natur zusammengeordnet werden? Wie wird die Energieia denselben Bestimmungsgrund mit dem Wesen haben, dessen Wirkung sie ist? Und wie wird etwas seinen Eigenstand haben, wenn es Energieia ist? Denn die Bestimmung der Energieia lässt das nicht zu. Unabhängig davon: als was wirst du denn den Vater bezeichnen? Als Verursacher? (Dann) aber des Sohnes. Wen aber wirst du als Verursacher und Arché des Geistes lehrmäßig festlegen? Etwa nicht den unmittelbaren, nicht denjenigen, der im eigentlichen Sinn Verursacher ist, nicht diesen, der von sich selber und der durch diesen, d.h. durch den Sohn Verursacher ist? Wo hast du eigentlich diese Dinge in der Schrift aufgefunden? Und ergänzend zu dem (was vorher gesagt worden ist), wenn die in ihrer eigenen Hypostase befindliche Usia selbst des Parakleten Gabe und Energieia ist,¹⁶⁸ wir aber Teilhaber des Geschenkes sind, für die die Gabe und die Erleuchtung bewirkt werden, haben und gewinnen wir also Anteil an dem Wesen selbst? Welche Wahrheit wird dann noch die Aussage desjenigen haben, der sagt, man könne an dem Göttlichen nur mittels Energien und Ausstrahlungen Anteil haben?“¹⁶⁹

¹⁶⁸ Im Gegensatz zu den Antifilioquisten behaupteten die Filioquisten, dass in den Charismen des Geistes die Hypostase des Geistes selbst gegenwärtig ist. Vgl. Johannes Beccus, *Ad Andronicum Camaterum* 12, PG 141, 424C: Λέγων γὰρ ἐν Εὐαγγελίοις, ὅταν δὲ ἔλθῃ ὁ Παράκλητος, ὃν ἐγὼ πέμψω ὑμῖν παρὰ τοῦ Πατρός’ οὐχὶ χάριν τινὰ πέμπειν ἐμφαίνει πνευματικὴν, οἷον εἰ τῆς οὐσίας ἀποδιηρημένην τοῦ Πνεύματος, ἀλλ’ αὐτὸν τὸν Παράκλητον, ὅστις θεός ἐστι τέλειος καὶ ἀληθὴς ὡς ὁ Πατὴρ καὶ ὁ Υἱός.

¹⁶⁹ PG 142, 289–290 A: Καὶ πῶς ἢ δωρεὰ τῷ δωρουμένῳ ὁμοούσιος ἔσται ποτέ; Πῶς κατὰ φύσιν αὐτῷ συνταχθήσεται; Πῶς ἢ ἐνέργεια τὸν αὐτὸν λόγον ἔξει τῆς οὐσίας ἧς ἐστὶν ἐνέργεια; Πῶς δὲ αὐθυπόστατον, εἴπερ ἐνέργεια; οὐ γὰρ παραδέχεται τοῦτο τῆς ἐνεργείας ὁ λόγος. Χωρὶς δὲ τούτων, τί καὶ ὀνομάσεις τὸν Πατέρα; Αἴτιον; Ἀλλὰ τοῦ Υἱοῦ. Τοῦ δὲ Πνεύματος τίνα δογματίζεις αἴτιον καὶ ἀρχὴν; οὐ τὸν προσεχῇ, οὐ τὸν κυρίως, οὐ τὸν καθ’ ἑαυτὸν καὶ δι’ αὐτὸν τὸν Υἱὸν δηλαδή; Ταῦτα καὶ σὺ ποῦ τῆς Γραφῆς εὑρηκας; Καὶ πρὸς τοῦτοις εἰ δωρεὰ ἐστὶ καὶ ἐνέργεια αὐτῇ ἢ τοῦ Παρακλήτου ἐνυπόστατος οὐσία, μέτοχοι δὲ τῆς δωρεᾶς ἡμεῖς πρὸς οὐς ἢ δωρεὰ καὶ ἢ ἔλλαμψις ἐνεργεῖται, αὐτῆς ἄρα μετέχομεν τῆς οὐσίας καὶ μεταλαμβάνομεν; Καὶ τίνα λοιπὸν τὴν ἀλήθειαν ἔξει ὁ λέγων ἐνεργείαις μόναις καὶ ἔλλαμψεσι τὸ θεῖον ὑμῖν μεθεκτόν;

Die Rückschlüsse, die man, den Text objektiv bewertend, ziehen kann, sind in den folgenden wichtigen Punkten zusammengefaßt: Man dürfe nicht behaupten, da der Geist vom Sohn gesendet, verliehen und ausgestrahlt wird, dass er aus diesem Grund auch von ihm ausgeht, sofern das, was gesendet, gespendet und verliehen wird nicht der enhypostatische Geist ist, sondern seine Gnadengaben. Der geschaffene Mensch könne nicht an der *Usia* Gottes und damit des Geistes teilhaben; Teilhabe sei möglich nur an Energien und Erleuchtungen des Göttlichen, mittels deren Es aus sich selbst heraustrete und mit der Welt in Relation stehe. Der Text macht zusätzlich den begrenzten Charakter eines Analogieschlusses aus der Ökonomie auf die Theologie einsichtig, zumal da gezeigt wird, dass das Verhältnis des Geistes zum Sohn im ökonomischen Sinn keine existenzielle Abhängigkeit des Ersten vom Zweiten bedeutet, wenn schon die Trennungslinie zwischen Sein und dem, das über das Sein hinausliegt, gewahrt bleibt. Hier wird also ein ökonomisches Verhältnis oder eine bestimmte Abhängigkeit des Geistes vom Sohn nicht negiert,¹⁷⁰ sondern eher die Betrachtung dieser Abhängigkeit als Voraussetzung oder Hinweises auf ein direktes Abkunkftsverhältnis zwischen Sohn und Geist deutlich in Frage gestellt.

Als Krönung des Beweisganges, der ein begrenztes Entsprechungsverhältnis zwischen Theologie und Ökonomie zu zeigen beabsichtigt, erweist sich ein Spruch aus Athanasius, mit dem Kyprios die Entfaltung seiner Argumente abschließt: „Die Herabkunft des Hl. Geistes erfolgt mittels Energien und Kräften“.¹⁷¹

¹⁷⁰ Vgl. WENDEBOURG, Geist oder Energie (wie oben Fußnote 10) 74. WENDEBOURG behauptet, dass der vorgelegte Abschnitt, begrifflich (wie *θεῖον* und *μέθεξις*) und dem Gedankengang nach aus einem anderen Zusammenhang übertragen zu sein scheint, eine Behauptung, die sich aber aus folgenden Gründen nicht bestätigen läßt: Kyprios verwendet ein breites Begriffsmaterial, das er den vorausgangenen Kirchenvätern entnimmt, für die entsprechenden Zusammenhänge. So bezeichnet er z.B. den Vater als Quelle und als gotterzeugende Gottheit und zur Begründung dieser Bezeichnung verweist auf Dionysius Areopagita (277C). In dem in Rede stehenden Abschnitt verwendet er auch den Begriff *δωρεά*, der schon bei Athanasius häufig gebraucht wird (288BC), wenn er zwischen Geist und den Charismen unterscheidet. Da also schon Dionysius Areopagita in der *Processione* zitiert wurde und die Idee in Vordergrund gestellt wird, dass (anhand Athanasius) Geist und Geistgabe zu unterscheiden sind, scheint nicht absurd zu sein, da sich Kyprios hier auf Dionysius beruft, um die Plausibilität seines Anliegens zu stützen.

¹⁷¹ PG 142, 290 A.

Die wichtigsten Punkte dieses Argumentationsganges, welche die vorliegende Studie ans Licht zu bringen versucht hat, sind die folgenden:

Es ist (nach Kyprios) völlig annehmbar zu sagen, dass der Hl. Geist aus der Usia des Sohnes, nicht aber aus seiner Hypostase stamme. Die erste Alternative ist wegen der Wesenseinheit plausibel, welche Sohn und Geist ausmachen und die sie dem Vater als ihrem einzigen Urgrund verdanken.

Der Begriff ἐκπορεύεσθαι bleibt im eigentlichen Sinn für den Hervorgang des Geistes aus dem Vater reserviert. In Hinsicht auf den Hervorgang durch den Sohn (δι' υἱοῦ) verwendet Kyprios andere Verben, wie προῖέναι, προχεῖσθαι, ἐκλάμπειν, ἐκφαίνειν, hingegen im Blick auf die ökonomische Sendung des Geistes, d.h. der Geistgaben wie ἀποστέλλειν, πέμπειν, χορηγεῖν.

Kyprios macht einen deutlichen Unterschied zwischen der Existenzweise der Geschöpfe und der der zwei ewigen Verursachten (Sohn und Geist). Alle Geschöpfe sind Verursachte auf schöpferische Weise (αἰτιατά δημιουργικῶς), während der Sohn Verursachendes auf geborene Weise (αἰτιατός γεννητῶς) und der Geist auf die Weise des Hervorgehenlassens (αἰτιατόν ἐκπορευτῶς) sind. Der Paraklet leuchtet durch den Sohn hervor und erscheint, wie aus der Sonne durch den Strahl das Licht. Dies bedeutet zugleich auch die Verleihung, die Gabe und Sendung an uns.¹⁷²

Das Axiom ἅπανα οὐσία ἐνυπόστατός ἐστι, καὶ ὑπόστασις πᾶσα ἐνούσιος, falls es zur Begründung eines hypostatischen Hervorgangs des Geistes vom Sohn verwendet wird, führt zu verheerenden Abwegigkeiten, zumal wenn man im Blick hat, dass die Übertragung der Zahl der Hypostasen auf die Usia und umgekehrt, die Übertragung des Einen der Usia auf die Hypostasen, die Symmetrie innerhalb der Trinität aufhebt.

Bezeichnungen des Geistes als „des Sohnes eigen“, die bei Kyrill vorzufinden sind, dürfen auf gar keinen Fall zugunsten des Filioque, sondern im Sinn einer bestehenden Homousie und Verwandtschaft der Natur ausgelegt werden.

Ausdrücke wiederum, die den Sohn als Ausgießenden, Gewährer und Verleiher des Geistes bezeichnen, beziehen sich ausschließlich auf

¹⁷² Vgl. Apologia, PG 142, 240B-C: δι' υἱοῦ γὰρ ὁμολογουμένως αὐτὸς ἀϊδίως ἐκλάμπει καὶ ἀναδείκνυται ὁ παράκλητος, ὥσπερ ἐκ τοῦ ἡλίου διὰ τῆς ἀκτίνος τὸ φῶς· δηλοῖ δὲ καὶ τὴν εἰς ἡμᾶς χορηγίαν καὶ δόσιν καὶ ἀποστολήν.

die Ökonomie und auf die Anpassung (συγκατάβασις) Gottes im Rahmen der Heilsgeschichte.

Das heilsgeschichtliche Handeln gibt uns keinen direkten Hinweis auf die innertrinitarischen Verhältnisse, auf das „Sein“ Gottes. Kyprios verneint mit Nachdruck einen Analogieschluss aus der Ökonomie auf die Theologie. Ein Entsprechungsverhältnis wird wiederum in Frage gestellt. Wenn es überhaupt eine innergöttliche Voraussetzung für die zeitliche Sendung des Geistes durch den Sohn gibt, dann liegt sie in der Einheit des Wesens. Umgekehrt: Die Sendung des Geistes und konkret nicht des enhypostatischen Geistes, sondern der Geistgaben, verweist bloß auf die Einheit des Wirkens und folglich des Wesens.

Hinsichtlich des inneren Seins Gottes gibt es keine Ordnung (ἀκολουθία τοῦ εἶναι) bei den Hypostasen, sondern eine bloße Zusammenstellung ihrer Namen (σύνταξις ὀνομάτων), soweit die menschliche Vernunft nicht alle und auf einmal begreifen und aussprechen kann.

In seiner Auslegung des umstrittenen Zitats Gregors von Nyssa „διὰ τοῦ προσεχῶς ἐκ τοῦ πρώτου“ im Sinne einer gedanklichen Priorität des Sohnes in Bezug auf den Geist als unmittelbar nach dem Vater gedachten Person, hat Gregor Palamas in der Figur des Kyprios seinen Vorläufer gefunden.

In *De Processione* ist wenig die Rede von einer innergöttlichen Offenbarungsrelation zwischen Sohn und Geist. Dieser Punkt, der bis heute nur obenhin von der Forschung berührt worden ist,¹⁷³ bedarf immer noch einer gründlicheren Untersuchung, zumal in Hinblick darauf, ob aus der ewigen Manifestation des Geistes durch den Sohn ein direktes Abkunftsverhältnis beider voneinander erschließbar ist. Kyprios ist derjenige byzantinische Theologe, der nach Blemmydes die ewige Beziehung zwischen dem Geist und dem Sohn auf der Grundlage der Sendung des Geistes durch den Sohn in die Welt einer genaueren Bestimmung zuzuführen gesucht hat.

Abstract

Focussing on the thirteenth-century endings of Byzantine writings against the Latin innovation of the Filioque, the present study aims, on the basis of the work *De processione Spiritus sancti* (1283), to provide the reader with an insight into the nature of the Orthodox argumentation refuting the Filioque. The work was until now attributed to Gregorios Kyprios Patriarch of Kon-

¹⁷³ Vgl. WENDEBOURG, Geist oder Energie, 102–104; SABBATOS, Θεολογική ὁρολογία (wie oben Fußnote 10), 195–214. Vgl. Apologia, PG 142, 267B.

stantinople (1283–1289). However, it is not a product of his pen, but a compiled version of his earlier work, the “Antirrhetikos against Bekkos”. Throughout the study the writer follows step by step Kyprios’ reasoning and tries to control the validity and soundness of the arguments advanced, making at the same time specific references to the patristic and philosophical background of Kyprios’ thinking. The study shows beyond any doubt that Kyprios is indebted to his predecessors, mostly to the Cappadocians and Dionysius Areopagites, and that he argues on the same line of reasoning with them in respect to the idea of the “Monarchy” of the Father, of the incommunicable of hypostatic properties, and of the possibility of beings to be in communion with God only through the divine energies. On the ground of these three fundamental ideas, a procession of the Spirit also from the Son is categorically rejected. Only the mission of the Spirit (what is implied here, are the gifts of the Spirit and not the Spirit itself) into the world through the Son is acceptable.

LEO III AND THE ANEMODOULION

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The Anemodoulion (Ἀνεμοδούλιον, also Ἀνεμοδοῦριον) was one of the principal marvels of medieval Constantinople, figuring both in the semi-canonical recitation of Constantine of Rhodes and in the reports of foreign travelers.¹ Located just north of the junction of the Mese and the Makros Embolos, it was an exceptionally tall four-sided (or “four-legged”) monument with a pyramidal roof, crowned with a bronze statue of a winged woman that functioned as a weather vane.² Its upper regions also featured Erotes entangled in vines (here one thinks of some form of inhabited scroll) and two figures of the winds in the form of youths blowing horns (probably in relief, although the text does not specify).³ Beneath, it was ornamented with a variety of pastoral scenes, apparently marble reliefs, including a number of birds and fruit-trees, and scenes of ploughing, milking, and fishing.⁴

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- ¹ Constantine of Rhodes: Description des oeuvres d'art et de l'église des saints Apôtres, ed. É. LEGRAND, Paris, 1896. Foreign travelers: see the *Kitâb al-Ishârât ilâ Ma'rifat al-Ziyârât* of 'Alî ibn Abî Bakr al-Harawî, ed. J. W. MERI, A lonely wayfarer's guide to pilgrimage, Princeton 2004, 121: *qubba al-âhwîa al-ârba'a* “the dome of the four winds.” See also A. BERGER, *Das Chalkun Tetrapylon und Parastaseis*, Kapitel 57. *BZ* 90 (1997) 7–12, at 9, for a possible reference in Robert de Clari.
- ² Location: BERGER, *Chalkun tetrapylon* (as footnote 1 above), with the sketch at page 12. Exceptionally tall: Nicetae Choniatae historia, ed. J. VAN DIETEN. *CFHB*, 11. Berlin 1975, at 648 (nearly equal in height to the column monuments of the city). Four-sided: Choniates (τετράπλευρον). Four-legged: Constantine of Rhodes (as footnote 1 above), line 186 (τετρασκελές). Pyramidal roof: Constantine of Rhodes, line 182; Choniates (ἐς ὃξὺν σχῆμα κατὰ πυραμίδα τελευτώντος). Female figure: Choniates (γυναικόμορφον). Bronze, winged: Constantine of Rhodes, lines 196 f.
- ³ Erotes on high mock those below: Constantine of Rhodes (as footnote 1 above), lines 190–192. Figures of the winds: Constantine of Rhodes, lines 193–195.
- ⁴ Marble reliefs: Παραστάσεις σύντομοι χρονικαί (Parastaseis) in: *Scriptores originum Constantinopolitanarum*, ed. TH. PREGER, Leipzig, 1901, at § 40 (ἀπὸ μαρμάρων ἀναγεγλυμμέναι). (For Parastaseis § 40 as a description of the Anemodoulion, which it does not explicitly name, see e.g. A. BERGER, *Untersuchungen zu den Patria Konstantinupoleos. Poikila Byzantina*, 8. Bonn

The first source that explicitly names the Anemodoulion/Anemodourion is the eighth-century *Parastaseis Syntomoi Chronikai*.⁵ It seems certain, however, that it is identical to the bronze tetrapylon (Χαλκοῦν Τετράπυλον) mentioned in passing in various chronicles and in the Synaxarion and Typikon.⁶ The earliest report (ordered not by date of the text, but of the event related) pertains to the earthquake of 447.⁷ It is possible to collect various scattered reports of its later history; thus by the tenth century it seems to have marked the site of a hay market, while Andronikos Komnenos planned to complement it with a column monument bearing his own statue.⁸ Our last report of the Anemodoulion dates to the early 13th century, when Niketas Choniates included it in his catalog of monuments destroyed by the Crusaders.⁹

We have three explicit statements regarding the date of the Anemodoulion's construction. The eighth-century *Parastaseis Syntomoi Chronikai* record it as a work of Constantine I, while the early tenth-

1988, at 313; F. A. BAUER, Stadt, Platz und Denkmal in der Spätantike. Mainz 1996, at 237.) Birds: *Parastaseis* § 40; Choniates (as footnote 2 above), at 648 (ἄπας μουσικὸς ὄρνις τὰ ἑαρινὰ μελωδῶν ἐκεῖ ἐντετύπωτο). Fruit-trees: Constantine of Rhodes (as footnote 1 above), line 189. Ploughing: *Parastaseis* § 40; Cf. Choniates (γεηπόνων ἔργα). Milking and fishing: these scenes described at some length by Choniates.

⁵ *Parastaseis* (as footnote 4 above) § 29. For the date see esp. O. KRESTEN, Leon III. und die Landmauern von Konstantinopel: zur Datierung von c. 3 der *Parastaseis syntomoi chronikai*. *Römische Historische Mitteilungen* 36 (1994) 21–52.

⁶ For their identity: BERGER, Untersuchungen (as footnote 4 above), 313 f.; BAUER, Stadt (as footnote 4 above), 237; BERGER, Chalkun Tetrapylon (as footnote 1 above), 8 and fn. 7, responding to the doubts of C. MANGO, The columns of Justinian and his successors, in: *Studies on Constantinople*. London, 1993, study X.

⁷ Ioannis Malalae Chronographia, ed. I. THURN. *CFHB*, 35. Berlin 2000, here at 284 f.; Chronicon Paschale, ed. L. DINDORF. *CSHB*, 9. Bonn 1832, here 589. For the date of the earthquake, see B. CROKE, Two early Byzantine earthquakes and their liturgical commemoration. *Byz* 51 (1981) 122–147, here at 131–144.

⁸ Hay market: *Life of St. Andrew the Fool*, ed. L. RYDÉN. Uppsala 1995, lines 1940–43. For the date see fundamentally L. RYDÉN, The date of the *Life of Andreas Salos*. *DOP* 32 (1978) 127–153. Andronikos: Choniates (as footnote 2 above), 332 f. He did not plan to replace the female figure atop the Anemodoulion with his own statue (*pace* C. MANGO, The art of the Byzantine Empire, 312–1453: sources and documents. Englewood Cliffs 1972, here at 44 fn. 114), but rather to erect a column monument next to the Anemodoulion.

⁹ Choniates (as footnote 2 above), 648.

century poem of Constantine of Rhodes attributes it to Theodosius I.¹⁰ The late tenth-century *Patria Konstantinopoleos*, finally, report that it was constructed by one Heliodoros during the reign of Leo III.¹¹ The report of the *Patria* has not been taken seriously by modern commentators, and indeed it would seem to be obviously false if the bronze tetrapylon and the Anemodoulion were identical.¹² In the following, however, I wish to argue that it contains a grain of truth.

Let us begin with a simple consideration: none of the early Byzantine references to the bronze tetrapylon make any mention of its decoration or indicate a function as a weathervane; the designation Anemodoulion/Anemodourion, containing a specific reference to the winds, does not appear before the eighth-century *Parastaseis*.¹³ A tetrapylon was a standard element in the urban armature of the Roman era, serving primarily to articulate the junctions of major thoroughfares.¹⁴ For this reason, although we can establish no solid *terminus post quem* for the construction of the bronze tetrapylon, Mango's suggestion that the

¹⁰ *Parastaseis* (as footnote 4 above) § 40; Constantine of Rhodes (as footnote 1 above), line 184.

¹¹ Πάτρια Κωνσταντινουπόλεως (*Patria*) in: *Scriptores*, ed. TH. PREGER (as footnote 4 above), here at § III.114.

¹² MANGO, *Art* (as footnote 8 above), at 44, calls the *Patria*'s attribution "highly unlikely in view of its decoration"; if this is a reference to the putative iconoclasm of Leo, one need only recall the lively tradition of figural secular arts among the Isaurian emperors. Thus already A. GRABAR, *L'iconoclasme byzantin: le dossier archéologique*. Paris 1957, here at 157: "les empereurs iconoclastes rejetaient les images religieuses, mais maintenantaient les figurations du cycle impérial." BERGER, *Untersuchungen* (as footnote 4 above), 323, describes the entire passage as "völlig unhistorisch," without further argument.

¹³ The references known to me from the late Roman chronicles are: Malalas (as footnote 7 above), 284 f. and 424; *Chronicon Paschale* (as footnote 7 above), 589. From later Byzantine chronicles, but clearly reliant upon late Roman sources: Theophanis *Chronographia*, ed. C. DE BOOR. Leipzig 1883, here at 226; Kedrenos, *Historiarum compendium*, ed. I. BEKKER. *CSHB* 34–35. Bonn 1838–39, at I.609–611 and I.658.

¹⁴ For an excellent analysis of the type and its function, see W. L. MACDONALD, *The architecture of the Roman Empire II: an urban appraisal*. New Haven 1986, here at 87–92. M. M. MANGO, *The porticoed street at Constantinople*, in: N. NECIPOĞLU (ed.), *Byzantine Constantinople: monuments, topography and everyday life*. Leiden 2001, 29–51, at 31, understands the crossing of the Mese and Makros Embolos as the junction of *cardo maximus* and *decumanus maximus*, the ideal site for a tetrapylon.

bronze tetrapylon “appartenait vraisemblablement au tracé primitif” of the Constantinian city is inherently plausible.¹⁵

While late Roman tetrapyla were frequently embellished with statues, extensive decoration with relief sculptures was somewhat rarer.¹⁶ Furthermore, the pastoral subject matter of the reliefs that decorated the Anemodoulion would be entirely out of place on a civic monument of the late Roman era.¹⁷ We do, however, have a solidly attested instance of the addition of novel two-dimensional representations to a tetrapylon in eighth-century Constantinople. Under Philip-pikos Bardanes, the Milion was decorated with depictions of the five ecumenical councils, to which a sixth was shortly added; under Constantine V these were replaced with images of horse-racing.¹⁸ Here we might also cite the image which, as related in the letter of the Patriarch Germanos to Thomas of Claudiopolis, was erected “before the royal dwellings” (thus presumably on the Chalkê) by Leo III and Constantine V, “our all-pious and Christ-loving emperors.” This portrayed the forms of the apostles and prophets together with texts by the same concerning the Lord.¹⁹ It has been understood by Leslie Brubaker as an ensemble of sculptures in the round, but given that Germanos refers to the image first as a single στήλη, then as a single εἰκών, it is just as likely that we are dealing with a relief sculpture (or indeed a mosaic or painting).²⁰

¹⁵ C. MANGO, *Le développement urbain de Constantinople (IV^e – VII^e siècles)*. Paris 2004, here at 30. At 57 he describes the Anemodoulion, which he believes to be distinct from the bronze tetrapylon, as a “belle oeuvre du Ve siècle.” No reason is given for the date.

¹⁶ Thus also J. MÜHLENBROCK, *Tetrapylon: zur Geschichte des viertorigen Bogenmonuments in der römischen Architektur*. Paderborn, 2003, 56–65, esp. at 59 for the “ungewöhnlich” nature of the relief decoration of the Anemodoulion.

¹⁷ For a masterful analysis of the iconography of late Roman imperial monuments, see E. MAYER, *Rom ist dort, wo der Kaiser ist: Untersuchungen zu den Staatsdenkmälern des dezentralisierten Reiches von Diocletian bis zu Theodosius II.* Mainz 2002.

¹⁸ Grabar (as footnote 12 above), 55 f. on the council paintings; and 155–157, on the chariot scenes.

¹⁹ PG 98: 185 A (cf. Mansi XIII, 124E–125 A): Τί δὲ, ὅτι καὶ αὐτοὶ οἱ τὰ πάντα εὐσεβέστατοι καὶ φιλόχριστοι ἡμῶν βασιλεῖς στήλην ἀληθῶς τῆς οἰκείας φιλοθεΐας, τὴν πρὸ τῶν βασιλείων λέγω εἰκόνα ἐγείραντες, ἐν ἧ τῶν ἀποστόλων καὶ προφητῶν ἀναθέμενοι τὰς ἰδέας καὶ τὰς τούτων περὶ τοῦ Κυρίου ἐγγράψαντες φωνᾶς, τῆς ἑαυτῶν πεποιθήσεως τὸ καύχημα τὸν σωτήριον σταυρὸν ἀνεκήρυξαν;

²⁰ L. BRUBAKER and J. HALDON, *Byzantium in the iconoclast era (ca. 680–850): the sources. Birmingham Byzantine and Ottoman Monographs, 7.* Aldershot 2001,

Let us return, then, to the report of the *Patria* concerning the Anemodoulion. Its exclusive focus is on the decoration of the monument, not its structure (indeed, no reference is made to a tetrapylon), and its reliefs are explicitly stated to be spolia, reportedly from Dyrachion.²¹ One detail of Constantine of Rhodes's description also makes one think of spolia: he explicitly refers to only two figures of the winds ("one of the west wind, the other of the south wind").²² If the Anemodoulion were decorated with newly fashioned sculpture, we would expect the full complement of four winds, but if it were decorated with spolia, it is conceivable that only two were available. Is it possible, then, that we are dealing with an eighth-century embellishment of a late Roman tetrapylon?²³ A number of considerations speak in favor of this hypothesis.

First, and most compellingly, we have the marked shift in terminology between the late Roman and the medieval sources. As noted above, Ἀνεμοδούλιον/Ἀνεμοδούριον does not appear before the eighth-century *Parastaseis*.²⁴ In the medieval period, on the other hand, Χαλκοῦν Τετράπυλον is retained only by those chronographers dependent upon earlier sources in their accounts of late Roman history (Theophanes, Kedrenos) and in the liturgical literature.²⁵ The latter phenomenon could also be explained by conservative retention: whereas most entries in the Synaxarion use the bronze tetrapylon simply as a topographical indicator, it is discussed more directly in the account of the earthquake of 447, where the text is clearly dependent upon the reports of the late Roman chroniclers.²⁶ It is also conceivable that ecclesiastical retention

here at 75 f. See also on this passage C. BARBER, *Figure and likeness: on the limits of representation in Byzantine Iconoclasm*. Princeton 2002, here at 52 f.

²¹ *Patria* (as footnote 11 above), § III.114: Τὰ δὲ τέσσαρα χαλκουργεῦματα τὰ μεγάλα ἤχθησαν ἀπὸ τοῦ Δυρραχίου.

²² Constantine of Rhodes (as footnote 1 above), line 195: ζέφυρον ἄλλος, ἄλλος αὖ πάλιν νότον.

²³ BERGER, *Chalkun tetrapylon* (as footnote 1 above), 9, anticipates an argument of this sort: "Die auf dem Tetrapylon dargestellten Szenen passen nicht recht zu einem Siegesdenkmal und überhaupt einem Monumentalbau. Ihre Deutung im Zusammenhang mit diesem Bau ist unklar und würde es auch bleiben, wenn man von einer nachträglichen Anbringung von Reliefs an einen älteren Bogen ausgehen wollte." I hope to show that such an argument does, in fact, clarify the interpretation of the monument.

²⁴ See footnote 5 above.

²⁵ See footnote 13 above.

²⁶ *Synaxarium ecclesiae Constantinopolitanae e Codice Sirmondiano*, ed. H. DELEHAYE. *Acta Sanctorum* 63. Brussels 1902, here at 425: ἀπὸ τῶν Τρωαδισίων ἐμβόλων ἕως τοῦ χαλκοῦ Τετραπύλου. Malalas (as footnote 7 above), 284 f.: ἀπὸ

of Χαλκοῦν Τετράπυλον indicates a certain reluctance to acknowledge the resolutely secular subject matter of the Anemodoulion's decoration (naked Erotes, etc.).²⁷ On the other hand, if we are to date the figural decoration of the Anemodoulion to late antiquity, we must imagine that its weathervane and its fantastically baroque decoration attracted no notice from contemporary authors.

We must also consider the rough fate of the bronze tetrapylon in late antiquity. It was affected in one manner or another (specifics are never given) by the earthquake of 447, the fire of 464, and the conflagrations attendant upon the faction riots of 548 and 561.²⁸ The seventh century does not seem to have witnessed any significant efforts at urban renewal in Constantinople, and by the eighth century the tetrapylon must have been in poor shape, a perfect candidate for a concrete display of *renovatio* under the Isaurian emperors.

Indeed, the decoration of the Anemodoulion fits well within the broader context of artistic production in the era of Iconoclasm. Three sets of wind figures, otherwise a very rare motif in medieval Byzantine art, appear in the Vatican Ptolemy (Vat. Gr. 1291), in all likelihood an imperial commission of Constantine V.²⁹ From the little that we know of the contemporary decoration of churches, the Isaurian emperors seem

τῶν λεγομένων Τρωαδησίων ἐμβόλων ἕως τοῦ Χαλκοῦ Τετραπύλου. Chronicon Paschale (as footnote 7 above), 589: ἀπὸ τῶν λεγομένων Τρωαδησίων Ἐμβόλων ἕως τοῦ χαλκοῦ Τετραπύλου.

²⁷ The nudity of the Erotes is emphasized by both Constantine of Rhodes (as footnote 1 above), line 190, and Choniates (as footnote 2 above), 648. For a survey of medieval Byzantine attitudes towards the representation of nudity, see H. MAGUIRE, The profane aesthetic in Byzantine art and literature. *DOP* 53 (1999) 189–205, here at 200–203.

²⁸ Earthquake of 447: Malalas (as footnote 7 above) 284–285; Chronicon Paschale (as footnote 7 above), 589. Fire of 464: Kedrenos (as footnote 13 above), I.609–611; for the date, see C. MANGO/R. SCOTT, The chronicle of Theophanes Confessor: Byzantine and Near Eastern history AD 284–813. London 1997, here at 174. Riots of 548: Theophanes (as footnote 13 above), 226; Kedrenos, I.658. Riots of 561: Malalas, 424.

²⁹ At folios 45v–46r, 46v, and 47v. For a reproduction of 46r, see B. OBRIST, La cosmologie médiévale. Textes et images. I. Les fondements antiques. Florence 2004, Fig. 60. For the date of the manuscript, see D.H. WRIGHT, The date of the Vatican illuminated handy tables of Ptolemy and of its early additions. *BZ* 78 (1985) 355–362. Wind personifications also appear in manuscripts of the *Christian Topography* (e.g. Vat. Gr. 699, f. 40v; reproduction in C. STORNAJOLO, Le miniature della topografia cristiana di Cosma Indicopleuste. Milan 1908, Tav. 7) and in the Khludov psalter, an image clearly derived from the *Topography* (Moscow, Historical Museum Cod. 129, f. 133r; reproduction in M.V. ŠČEPKINA, Miniatury chludovskoj psaltyri. Moscow 1977).

to have favored pastoral imagery of the sort found on the Anemodoulion, in particular representations of fruits and birds.³⁰ Here we should also mention the poorly understood question of the Horologion of Hagia Sophia, a public monument that attracted much attention from medieval travelers and is comparable to the Anemodoulion as a metrological monument. The bronze doors of the Horologion, at least, were erected in 838/39 under Theophilus and Patriarch John (“the Grammarian”), and it is easy to imagine that their installation would have coincided with a renovation (or the original construction?) of the monumental clock itself.³¹ It is noteworthy that Hârûn ibn Yahyâ and al-Harawî were both told that the clock was a work of Balînâs/Apollonius, and that John the Grammarian was remembered in later centuries as “the new Apollonius.”³² It is thus conceivable that a memory of Patriarch John’s activity was concealed behind the popular attribution to the famous magician.

A similar mechanism may be at work in the *Patria*’s account of the Anemodoulion. The only truly fabulous element of this passage is its statement that the monument was built *παρὰ Ἡλιοδόρου τοῦ δυσσεβοῦς*, “by the impious Heliodoros.” Heliodoros was a name that, by the middle Byzantine period, had become attached to a multitude of figures, nearly all of whom were capable of conflation with each other: the author of the *Aethiopica*, a fourth-century bishop of Tricca, the author of some iambic verses on alchemy, and the sorcerer-adversary of Leo of Catania in the *Life* of the latter (*BHG* 981). In brief, Heliodoros

³⁰ See especially: La Vie d’Étienne le Jeune par Étienne le Diacre, ed. M.-F. AUZÉPY. *Birmingham Byzantine and Ottoman Monographs*, 3. Aldershot 1997, here at 126 f. (text) and 221 f. (translation).

³¹ For the inscriptions of the bronze doors, see C. MANGO, When was Michael III born? *DOP* 21 (1967) 253–258, at 253 f.

³² Hârûn: J.-C. DUCÈNE, Une deuxième version de la relation d’Hârûn ibn Yahyâ sur Constantinople. *Der Islam* 82 (2005) 241–255, here at 246 (text) and 248 (translation). Harawî: a fragment preserved in Zakariyyâ’ b. Muhammad b. Mahmûd al-Qazwînî, *Kosmographie*, ed. F. WÜSTENFELD. Göttingen, 1848, here at II.407. French translation in A. VASILIEV, Quelques remarques sur les voyageurs du Moyen Âge à Constantinople, in: *Mélanges Charles Diehl*. Paris 1930, I.293–298, here at 296. Identification of the clock described by Harawî with the horologion of Hagia Sophia requires reading *al-mūdān* not as “hippodrome”, but more generically as “square” (i.e. the Augusteion): thus also Vasiliev, “il se trouve dans l’Hippodrome (ou sur une place?)”. The entire question of the public clocks of medieval Constantinople is confused and merits a separate study. John as “new Apollonius”: P. MAGDALINO, *L’orthodoxie des astrologues: la science entre le dogme et la divination à Byzance (VIIe–XIVe siècle)*. Paris 2006, here at 58–59.

had become “il tipo del sapiente munito di un sapere arcano, del filosofo-mago.”³³ It is simultaneously possible that an actual historical figure, some functionary of Leo III, lies behind this popular attribution.

Indeed, if one strips the *Patria*'s report to its essentials, there is nothing inherently implausible about the claim that the Anemodoulion was decorated under Leo III. In fact, the attribution solves a number of difficulties regarding the interpretation of the monument and the sudden shift in the terminology used to describe it. It is furthermore difficult to imagine why the patriographers should have wished to attribute one of the marvels of Constantinople to an emperor whom they openly despised.³⁴ There is no patriographic reflex to ascribe monuments to Leo, as there was to Constantine I. The assertion of Constantine of Rhodes, that the Anemodoulion was a work of Theodosius I, could conceivably refer to the erection of the original bronze tetrapylon, a possibility not excluded by that original monument's *terminus ante quem* of 447. But had Constantine of Rhodes been aware of an association with Leo III, he would have had every reason to suppress any mention of the (by then) hated Isaurian in the composition of a work dedicated to Constantine VII.

I would therefore propose the following chronology for the bronze tetrapylon: it was erected early in the city's history, perhaps already under Constantine I, as a standard element of Roman civic armature. At this time the most notable feature of its decoration was its incorporation of bronze, and it was this that led to its conventional name (Χαλκοῦν Τετράπυλον). We should probably imagine that its pyramidal roof was

³³ See A. A. LONGO, *La Vita di S. Leone vescovo di Catania e gli incantesimi del mago Eliodoro*. *RSBN* 26 (1989) 1–98, here esp. at 13–15; quotation at 15. A potential problem results if one views the Heliodoros of the *Patria*, apparently a functionary of Leo, as “identical” to the Heliodoros of *BHG* 981, who is explicitly presented as an adversary of “our most pious emperors, Leo and Constantine,” usually identified as Leo III and Constantine V; for the identification *ibid.*, 43–44. The *Vita* has further been read as a specimen of “iconoclast” hagiography, and Heliodoros as the figure of the “iconodule” rendered ridiculous: *ibid.*, 43–55 and M.-F. AUZÉPY, *L'analyse littéraire et l'historien: l'exemple des vies de saints iconoclastes*. *Byzantinoslavica* 53 (1992), 57–67, here at 62–67. The problem is avoided if one simply sees Heliodoros as the stock character of the sorcerer.

³⁴ See e.g. *Patria* (as footnote 11 above), § III.31, with BERGER, *Untersuchungen* (as footnote 4 above), 283 (legend of the destruction of the Octagon, related in full polemical mode).

clad in bronze tiles, not unlike the gate of the imperial palace.³⁵ The structure suffered from numerous earthquakes and fires throughout the subsequent centuries, but by the late eighth century had been redecorated with a weathervane, in addition to reused figures of the winds and pastoral reliefs, and was rechristened the Anemodoulion/Anemodourion. The eighth-century *terminus ante quem* of this redecoration, provided by the references in the *Parastaseis*, renders the *Patria*'s attribution of the structure's decoration to Leo III plausible. Furthermore, elements of its decoration fit far better in the artistic environment of the eighth century than in that of late antiquity.

If the attribution of the Anemodoulion proper to the reign of Leo III is accepted, it is furthermore possible to propose a specific occasion for its erection. The Arab naval siege of Constantinople in 717/18 was, as all sources agree, ultimately crushed when a storm arose and scattered the ships, which may already have been in retreat.³⁶ A fascinating account of this event is preserved in the Armenian historiographical tradition. According to the earliest version of this narrative, the Arab commander Maslama wrote to Leo bragging that he would turn Hagia Sophia into a bathhouse and break the True Cross over his head if he should not surrender. In response Leo "took the unconquerable standard upon his shoulders, accompanied by the patriarch and the multitude of the populace, with candles and incense, raising a hymn, and came through the gate of the city. The king struck with the standard of the cross the waters of the sea, saying thrice, 'Help us, Christ, Savior of the world.' And straightway the depths of the sea were stirred and drowned the army of Ishmael."³⁷

³⁵ See e.g. C. MANGO, *The brazen house: a study of the vestibule of the imperial palace in Constantinople*. *Arkæologisk-kunsthistoriske Meddelelser*, 4.4. Copenhagen 1959, here at 21.

³⁶ For the sources see esp. I. ROCHOW, *Byzanz im 8. Jahrhundert in der Sicht des Theophanes: quellenkritisch-historischer Kommentar zu den Jahren 715–813*. *Berliner Byzantinische Arbeiten*, 57. Berlin 1991, here at 95–97; P. SPECK, *Kaiser Leon III., die Geschichtswerke des Nikephoros und des Theophanes und der Liber Pontificalis: eine quellenkritische Untersuchung*. Teil 1: *Die Anfänge der Regierung Kaiser Leons III. Poikila Byzantina*, 19. Bonn 2002, here at 273–281.

³⁷ S. GERO, *Byzantine iconoclasm during the reign of Leo III. Corpus scriptorum christianorum orientalia, Subsidia*, 41. Louvain 1973, here at 134–136, translated from the text of the eleventh-century chronicler Stephen of Taron. Cf. Des Stephanos von Taron armenische Geschichte, tr. H. GELZER and A. BURCKHARDT. Leipzig, 1907, here at 96. A more elaborate version of the story, which Gero believes to depend on Stephen, is preserved in: *History of Lewond*, the

The historicity of this episode is not of interest to us. What is clear is that it represents a pro-Isaurian account of the siege of 717/18 that cannot possibly derive from “local” Armenian sources, but must rather derive from a lost Greek source of the eighth or ninth century. As Gero has argued, that source may well have been “a lost iconoclastic *synaxis* for August 15”, on which date, in later centuries, the delivery of the city through the intervention of a Marian icon would be celebrated.³⁸ Two elements of the account are suggestive of a composition in the immediate aftermath of the siege: its unambiguously positive image of Leo, and the frequent comparison of the Arab troops to Pharaoh’s army. This latter motif is prominent in the two earliest extant Greek accounts of the siege, a homily of Germanos and the iambic verses of Theodosius Grammaticus.³⁹

Although the topographical indicators of the procession described are extremely vague, it is nevertheless possible to present a plausible reconstruction of its course. Let us begin with its terminus: the company exited through a gate and onto the shore, where Leo struck the water with a cross. Our sources invariably present the storm as arising in the Sea of Marmara, so we should imagine the procession as issuing on that coast. The southern sea walls possessed a number of gates, which have been the subject of some confusion in the literature, but our attention here should be drawn to a notice in the *Patria* according to which the Kontoskalion Gate took its name from a certain *tourmarch* named Agallianos Kontoskeles.⁴⁰ This figure is to be identified with the Agallianos, *tourmarch* of the Helladic fleet, who mounted an unsuccessful revolt against Leo III in 727.⁴¹ The Kontoskalion itself is now

eminent Vardapet of the Armenians, tr. Z. ARZOUMANIAN. Wynnewood, 1982, here at 112.

³⁸ GERO, Leo III (as footnote 36 above), 37 and 189. For the argument against any use of a Marian icon in the procession of 717–18, B. V. PENTCHEVA, *Icons and power: the Mother of God in Byzantium*. University Park 2006, 46–48.

³⁹ V. GRUMEL, *Homélie de Saint Germain sur la délivrance de Constantinople*. *REB* 15 (1957) 183–205, especially at 197 (text) and 204 (translation). For the poem of Theodosius Grammaticus see S. P. LAMPROS, *Ἱστορικά Μελετήματα*. Athens, 1884, 129–132, especially at line 15; further GERO, Leo III (as footnote 36 above), 172–176.

⁴⁰ *Patria* (as footnote 11 above), § III.133.

⁴¹ PMBZ 113. For the revolt, see Theophanes (as footnote 13 above), 405; cf. ROCHOW, *Byzanz* (as footnote 35 above), 118 f. and SPECK, *Leon III*. (as footnote 35 above), 489 f. For the identity of the patron and rebel, e.g. PREGER, *Scriptores* (as footnote 4 above), 329; R. GUILLAND, *Les ports de Byzance sur la Propontide*. *Byz* 23 (1953) 181–238, here at 226.

commonly identified with the easternmost of the two major harbors on the Marmara coast, that of Julian/Sophia.⁴² We should imagine, then, that the Harbor of Julian and its gate (the Turkish Kum Kapı) were restored in the decade following the defeat of the Arab siege. The renewed site will have provided the ideal terminus for a procession commemorating the victory.⁴³

If the procession terminated at the Kontoskalion, then it must have originated at the bronze tetrapylon, whence a street led southwest to this very gate.⁴⁴ Indeed, the tetrapylon was a close neighbor of one of the three major cross monuments of Constantinople, that which was named, according to the ninth-century “Guidi-Vita” (*BHG* Nr. 364) of the Emperor Constantine, “Victory” and “Invincible”.⁴⁵ Although the medieval sources see this as a dedication of Constantine himself, later restored by Heraclius, it seems likely that it was erected only under Heraclius in the seventh century.⁴⁶ The site of a major cross monument

⁴² E.g. W. MÜLLER-WIENER, *Bildlexikon zur topographie Istanbuls*. Tübingen 1977, here at 62 f.; A. STAURIDOU-ZAPHRAGA, Τὸ Κοντοσκάλιο καὶ τὸ Ἐπάσκαλο: Συμβολὴ στὴ μελέτη τῶν λιμανιῶν τῆς Κωνσταντινούπολης κατὰ τὴν ὕστερη περίοδο. *Βηζαντινά* 13 (1985) 1302–28.

⁴³ BERGER, *Untersuchungen* (as footnote 4 above), 483 f., argues that the Patria’s etymology for the name of the gate/harbor is a “nachträgliche Konstruktion,” and that the name Kontoskalion actually indicates “Hafen mit kurzem Anlegesteg.” This is quite plausible, but it does not explain why the authors should wish to associate the gate with Agallianos. It is more likely that they knew an inscription on the gate naming the *tourmarch*, and then invented a second name for him (Kontoskeles) to provide a fake etymology for the harbor’s conventional name. Berger argues that “Mit dem Bau des Hafens kann er [Agallianos] nach den historischen Umständen seines Aufstandes kaum etwas zu tun haben.” But this ignores that he was clearly named *tourmarch* before launching his rebellion, and must therefore have had a long career in the navy, during which he might at any time have been involved in the construction of a harbor and/or gate (thus e.g. between 718 and 727). More to the point is GUILLAND, *Ports* (as footnote 40 above), 226: “En sa qualité de *tourmarque*, Agallianos était tout à fait qualifié pour diriger les travaux d’un port.”

⁴⁴ See esp. A. BERGER, *Regionen und Straßen im frühen Konstantinopel*. *IstMitt* 47 (1997), 349–414, here at 406 with Abb. 9.

⁴⁵ Un βίος di Costantino, ed. M. GUIDI. *Rendiconti della Reale Accademia dei Lincei: classe di scienze morali, storiche e filologiche* Ser. 5, 16 (1907) 304–340 and 637–662, here at 650–652. Cf. the translation by F. BEETHAM, Constantine Byzantinus: the anonymous *Life of Constantine* (*BHG* 364), in: S. N. C. LIEU / D. MONTERRAT (eds.), *From Constantine to Julian: pagan and Byzantine views*. London 1996, 97–146, here at 139 f.

⁴⁶ BAUER, *Stadt* (as footnote 4 above), 351–353.

would form a fitting starting point for a procession in which the emperor bore a cross upon his shoulders.⁴⁷

The decoration of the bronze tetrapylon with a weathervane and reliefs of the winds, therefore, would have been an appropriate gesture in the aftermath of the Arab siege, which according to Isaurian ideology had been lifted when Leo implored God to raise up a storm that blew the fleet away. The bronze tetrapylon would have been the ideal candidate for this new decoration on account of its proximity to the cross known as “Invincible” and associated with Constantine and Heraclius. We can well imagine a yearly re-enactment of the event on August 15th, beginning at the Anemodoulion and ending at the Konstoskalion. The restoration of the two termini by Leo and his officials would represent an attempt to lend the new triumphal route an appropriate monumentality.

Mango has argued that the outer portion of the so-called Golden Gate at the southern end of the Constantinopolitan land walls, which was decorated with various mythological reliefs in secondary use, was a “triumphal monument of the middle Byzantine period.” He preferred a ninth- or tenth-century date for this ensemble, a proposal which has since been seconded on technical grounds.⁴⁸ If the arguments presented above are accepted, then we have recovered a still earlier triumphal monument of medieval Constantinople, and one with striking similarities to the Golden Gate: a pre-existing monument embellished in the medieval period with re-used late Roman reliefs of a secular character.

Thus the apparent origin of the Anemodoulion in the era of Leo III should cause us to reconsider the origins of imperial efforts to rebuild Constantinople as a fitting capital for a medieval empire. If we are correct to associate the construction of the Anemodoulion with the defeat of the Arab fleet, then this would constitute the first proper triumphal monument erected in Constantinople since the reign of

⁴⁷ This remarkable detail in the Armenian account adds an element of *imitatio Christi* to the Mosaic resonances of Leo’s procession that have frequently been noted. Typology in a single body! Although the reference of the Armenian sources to the cross as “unconquerable” may be generic, it is also possible that it preserves an allusion to this specific monument, known in the Greek sources as the ἀνίκητον (as in the Guidi-Vita, as in footnote 44 above, and Nikephoros Kallistos, PG 146, 121B).

⁴⁸ C. MANGO, The triumphal way of Constantinople and the Golden Gate. *DOP* 54 (2000) 173–188, here at 181–186; N. ASUTAY-EFFENBERGER, Die Landmauer von Konstantinopel-Istanbul: historisch-topographische und baugeschichtliche Untersuchungen. *Millennium-Studien*, 18. Berlin, 2007, here at 61–71.

Heraclius.⁴⁹ Nor would it be a unicum in Leo's reign. A stretch of the walls of Nicaea was restored after the Arab attack of 727, and the finely cut inscription, which attributes the work to "our Christ loving emperors Leo and Constantine," explicitly commemorates the site where "the insolence of the enemies was put to shame."⁵⁰ The style of the rebuilt walls, consisting of regularly cut and coursed spoils, is highly distinctive and, it might be argued, intentionally historicizing.⁵¹

After the earthquake of 740, large stretches of the land walls of Constantinople were likewise restored, with the inscriptions once more invoking the victory of Leo and Constantine.⁵² Their dedication was accompanied by a procession in which the victorious emperors were acclaimed by the circus factions in traditional fashion.⁵³ The style of the walls is, in this case, most noteworthy for the effort that was made to replicate the appearance of the original Theodosian walls.⁵⁴

The emperors of the seventh and early eighth centuries had precious few victories to celebrate, but following the retreat of the Arab fleet in 718, Leo and his confidants might reasonably have felt that a corner had been turned. The appropriation of the old tetrapylon as a new victory monument and the rebuilding or restoration of the Kontoskalion gate would thus mark the first concrete traces of a new ideology of *renovatio*. As such it bears comparison to the *Ecloga*, promulgated in all likelihood at the very end of Leo's reign, and explicitly presented as a reform

⁴⁹ The last attested monument before the Anemodoulion would be the equestrian statue of Niketas, cousin of Heraclius, celebrating his victory over the Persians in 614. Anth. Plan. 46 and 47; and see further F. A. BAUER, Statuen hoher Würdenträger im Stadtbild Konstantinopels. *BZ* 96 (2003), 493–513, here at 511–512: "das letzte vollplastische Bildwerk der Antike überhaupt".

⁵⁰ ἔνθα θεεική βοηθεία τὸ τῶν ἐκθρῶν καταισκύνθη θράσος, / ἐκεῖ οἱ φιλόχριστοι ἡμῶν βασιλεῖς Λέων καὶ Κωνσταντῖνος ἀνε- / καίνησαν πόθω τὴν πόλιν Νήκαιαν A.M. SCHNEIDER/W. KARNAPP, Die Stadtmauer von İznik (Nicaea). *Istanbul Forschungen*, 9. Berlin, 1938, here at 49.

⁵¹ See especially C. FOSS and D. WINFIELD, Byzantine fortifications: an introduction. Pretoria, 1986, at 90 and 100.

⁵² For the most recent appraisal of the stretches restored, see ASUTAY-EFFENBERGER, Landmauer (as footnote 48 above), 174–175. For the inscriptions see B. MEYER-PLATH/A.M. SCHNEIDER, Die Landmauer von Konstantinopel, Zweiter Teil. *Denkmäler antiker Architektur*, 8. Berlin, 1943, at 127 (nos. 12, 13, and 16), 128 (no. 18), 130 (no. 24), 131 (no. 29), 132 (no. 32), 134 (nos. 38 and 39): typical is the formula Νικῆ ἡ τύχη Λέοντος καὶ Κωνσταντίνου.

⁵³ Parastaseis (as footnote 4 above) § 3. See fundamentally on this passage KRESTEN, Leon III. (as footnote 5 above), esp. at 44–46 for comparisons with late Roman acclamations.

⁵⁴ ASUTAY-EFFENBERGER, Landmauer (as footnote 48 above), 174.

measure to ensure the better comprehension of the law, with the ultimate hope that the emperors of a just state might be crowned with further victories over their enemies.⁵⁵

The ideology of renewal, with specific reference to late antique models, was continued in the reign of Constantine V, as Paul Magdalino has recently argued. At least two of the elements of this renewal can be traced directly back to Leo's reign: the emphasis on developing the region between the Mese and the Kontoskalion, anticipated by the monumental constructions discussed here, and the revival of interest in imperial ceremonial, anticipated by the procession to the sea and the dedication of the restored walls of Constantinople.⁵⁶ Thus, even if it now seems inaccurate to trace the origins of imperial iconoclasm back to Leo's initiative, we might still seek in his reign the origins of an Isaurian ideology of imperial renewal more broadly construed.⁵⁷

Abstract

The Anemodoulion, a Constantinopolitan tetrapylon decorated with numerous figural reliefs and crowned by a weathervane, has traditionally been seen as an entirely late antique construction. A re-evaluation of the medieval sources shows that, while the tetrapylon itself was constructed in late antiquity, its figural decoration and conversion into a weathervane likely date to the reign of Leo III (717–741). Viewed in connection with other monuments of Leo's reign, in particular the gate of the Kontoskalion Harbor, and historical accounts of the end of the Arab siege of 717/18, the Anemodoulion may be interpreted as a triumphal monument celebrating the dispersal of the Arab fleet via a powerful storm. It thus provides new insight into the earliest efforts of the Isaurian emperors to rebuild Constantinople as a fitting capital for a medieval empire.

⁵⁵ As explicitly stated in the Proimion. Ecloga, das Gesetzbuch Leons III. und Konstantinos' V., ed. L. BURGMANN. *Forschungen zur byzantinischen Rechtsgeschichte*, 10. Frankfurt, 1983, here at lines 21–51; and pages 100–104 for the date.

⁵⁶ P. MAGDALINO, Constantine V and the Middle Age of Constantinople, in: *Studies on the history and topography of Byzantine Constantinople*. Aldershot, 2007, Study IV. For an ideological building program under Constantine see also R. OUSTERHOUT, The architecture of iconoclasm: the buildings, in HALDON and BRUBAKER, *Iconoclast era* (as in note 19 above), 3–19, here at 17–18.

⁵⁷ See esp. P. SPECK, Kaiser Leon III., die Geschichtswerke des Nikephoros und des Theophanes und der *Liber Pontificalis*: eine quellenkritische Untersuchung. Teil 2: Eine neue Erkenntnis Kaiser Leons III. *Poikila Byzantina*, 20. Bonn 2003.

A POEM OF PHILES TO MAKARIOS CHRYSOKEPHALOS? THE CASE OF POEM FLORENTINUS 58

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Philes' poem Flor. 58 is one of a series of 6 short iambic poems without title sandwiched between a composition entitled Χαρτοφύλακι τῷ Κουτάλῃ and some Ἐπιτάφιοι τῷ δεσπότη κυρῷ Μανουήλ.¹ In a footnote to the first of these texts Miller, the editor of Philes' poems, reports the following annotation by Bandini, the author of the manuscript catalogue of the Laurentiana library,² who described the codex where these compositions are found: "Varia epigrammata iambica, nullo titulo,

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- ¹ E. MILLER, *Manuelis Philae Carmina*. Paris 1855–1857 (reprinted Amsterdam 1967) I 232–235 (hereafter *Carmina*). In his edition Miller grouped the poems according to the provenance of the manuscripts (*Escorialenses*, *Florentini*, *Parisini*, *Vaticani*); in the text poems will be identified by the manuscript initial and its numbering in the manuscript. A shorter volume of poems was published by E. Martini about fifty years later: E. MARTINI, *Manuelis Philae Carmina inedita*. *Atti della R. Accademia di Archeologia, Lettere e Belle Arti*, 20. Naples 1900 (hereafter *Carmina inedita*). Several poems were also published by E. GEDEON in *Μανουήλ τοῦ Φιλῆ ἱστορικὰ ποιήματα. Ἑκκλησιαστικὴ Ἀλήθεια* 4/3 (1882–83) 215–220, 244–250, 652–659. For bibliography, a discussion of the editions of Miller and Martini and a listing of the manuscripts containing Philes' poems see G. STICKLER, *Manuel Philes und seine Psalmenmetaphrase*. Wien 1992, 71–84 (hereafter *Psalmenmetaphrase*). For a general discussion of the poet's life and works see A.-M. TALBOT/A. CUTLER, *Philes, Manuel*. *ODB* 3, 1651. In recent years Philes' poems, especially epigrams on works of art have attracted scholars' attention; see for example, A.-M. TALBOT, *Epigrams of Manuel Philes on the Theotokos tes Peges and its art*. *DOP* 48 (1994) 135–165; EAD., *Epigrams in context: Metrical inscriptions on art and architecture of the Palaiologan era*. *DOP* 53 (1999) 75–90; E. PIETSCH, *Manuel Philes und die übernatürliche Macht der Epigrammdichtung*, in W. Hörandner/A. Rhoby (Hrsg.), *Die kulturhistorische Bedeutung byzantinischer Epigramme*. Vienna 2008, 85–92; EAD., *Die Stummheit des Bildes*. *JÖB* 57 (2007) 135–148; EAD., *Ein Aspekt der Rezeption der Anthologia Planudea in Bildepigrammen des Manuel Philes*, in: *Imitatio – Aemulatio – Variatio*. Vienna (2010) 217–230. EAD., *Beseelte Bilder. Epigramme des Manuel Philes auf bildliche Darstellungen*. Wien 2010.
- ² A. M. BANDINI, *Bibliotheca Leopoldina Laurentiana seu Catalogus manuscriptorum qui iussu Petri Leopoldi imperatoris in Laurentiana translati sunt*. Florence 1791–1793.

sed videntur ad imperatorem Ducam scripta”.³ Although some elements of the poems seem to support such speculation – for instance, in poem Flor. 57 the recipient is addressed as βασιλεύς and πνοὴ τῶν Αὐσόνων; and Flor. 59 opens with the words Δοῦκα σθεναρέ⁴ – I would like to suggest that Philes composed and dedicated poem Flor. 58 to the monk, exegete and later Metropolitan of Philadelphia Makarios Chrysokephalos. A close reading of the text reveals several hints, subtle allusions and puns which make this identification plausible. Moreover, if this identification were true, it would also be possible to date the poem with relative precision.

Makarios Chrysokephalos⁵ was born around 1300 to a noble family of Trapezuntine origin,⁶ his place of birth is uncertain as well as the vicissitudes of his youth.⁷ He is first attested in July 1327⁸ in the hexametric colophon of codex *Marc. gr.* 83 as Michael, his baptismal name.⁹ By 1328 he became a monk and later a hieromonk, until he was

³ MILLER, *Carmina*, I 232 note 5. Miller has a high regard for Bandini’s work as he writes in his preface when describing the manuscripts used for his edition: “Florentinus codex [...] maxima cura singulatim descriptus est in Bandini *Catalogo*, t. II, col. 147 et sq.” *Ibid.*, II, viii–ix.

⁴ MILLER, *Carmina*, I 232–233.

⁵ It is now universally accepted that Chrysokephalos was a proper family name and not a sobriquet given to Makarios because of his collection of excerpts from the Fathers of the Church (χρυσὰ κεφάλαια), as Krumbacher had argued; see K. KRUMBACHER, *Geschichte der byzantinischen Literatur*. Munich 1897, 603. Further evidence of Makarios’ last name and of the status of his family can be drawn from a seal that belonged to the ὑπάτος Michael Chrysokephalos, perhaps one of his ancestors; see G. SCHLUMBERGER, *Sigillographie de l’ Empire byzantin*. Paris 1884, 637.

⁶ For a detailed discussion of Makarios’s life see G. PASSARELLI (ed.), *Macario Crisocefalo (1300–1382): L’omelia sulla festa dell’Ortodossia e la basilica di S. Giovanni di Filadelfia*. Rome 1980 (hereafter *Macario Crisocefalo*); A.-M. TALBOT, Chrysokephalos, Makarios. *ODB* 1, 453; D. STIERNON, Macaire Chrysokephalos. *Dictionnaire de Spiritualité* 10 (1980) 6–10. An interesting discussion of Makarios’ autograph manuscripts is found in A. TURYN, *Dated Greek Manuscripts of the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Centuries in the Libraries of Italy*. Urbana/Chicago/London 1972, I, 156–164, 168–172.

⁷ Stiernon affirms that Makarios was undoubtedly born in Constantinople and became a monk in one of the monasteries dedicated to the Trinity, Macaire Chrysokephalos, 6. Passarelli instead seems to accept the possibility that Makarios spent his youth, and perhaps was even born, in Philadelphia, *Macario Crisocefalo*, 25; but the evidence is very tenuous and quite inconclusive.

⁸ PASSARELLI (as footnote 6 above) 26.

⁹ Codex *Mar. Gr.* 83 is a miscellaneous collection of texts – it contains, for instance, a theological passage of Leo the Wise, a dodecasyllabic poem to the

elected metropolitan of Philadelphia in Lydia in January 1336, as can be inferred from an autograph note also written in *Marc. gr. 83*.¹⁰ As metropolitan he often went to Constantinople where he took active part in the theological debates on the Union of the Churches and Palamism. Makarios was also a candidate for the patriarchal throne in 1353, but in the end the emperor chose Philotheos Kokkinos instead. Probably after 1365 he retired to Philadelphia where he died in 1382.¹¹ Makarios was a learned man renowned and praised among his contemporaries as an orator and a writer; he composed the *Rhodonía*, an anthology of proverbs and excerpts from classical authors, *Catenae* on Genesis, the Gospel of Matthew and Luke, several homilies and, probably in the last part of his life, a vita of St. Meletios of Galesios.

In the following pages I would like to offer an analysis and a short commentary on this poem in an attempt to prove that Makarios was its addressee, as well as to highlight what an unexpected richness of material can be discovered even in such a short occasional text.

- Τὴν ἐξ ἔθους ἥδιστα καινίζων σχέσιν,
 Ὡς τῆς ἐμῆς ἄληκτε κοσμήτορ τύχης,
 Καὶ φιλοτιμότετε, καὶ πτωχοτρόφε,
 ῥύθμιζε καὶ πύκαζε καὶ στόλιζε με
 5 Τῆς σῆς κεφαλῆς τῇ προληφθείσῃ σκέπῃ·
 Τὴν γὰρ ἀκαλλῇ καὶ κατεσπιλωμένην,
 ἥς μακρὸς ἐξέλυσε τὸν τόνον χρόνος,
 Ὑπὲρ κεφαλῆς οὐ φορητόν μοι στέγειν·
 Σὺ δὲ χρυσοῦς ὢν τὴν χρυσὴν ἔχε σκέπην,
 10 Κἂν εἰς τὰ μὴ ῥέοντα σωφρόνως βλέπῃς.

Renewing the customary bond of affection to my greatest pleasure,
 Oh unceasing guide of my fate,

Mother of God, tetrastichs of Gregory of Nazianzus – but the largest part of the manuscript, f. 6^r to 180^v, is taken up by the poems of Gregory of Nazianzus. Passarelli argues that this, as well as the presence of the hexametric colophon, seems to indicate Makarios' interest in poetry during his youth, and considers it as the first step in the refinement of language and style for which Chrysokephalos would become famous among his contemporaries later in life. If so, we might think that Makarios' propensity for poetry was a reason for Philes' acquaintance with him and for his poetic homage. See PASSARELLI (as footnote 6 above) 26–27.

¹⁰ *ibid.*, 28.

¹¹ *ibid.*, 43.

- Both most munificent, and supporter of the poor,
 Direct and surround and dress me
 5 With the previously discarded hat from your head;
 For I cannot bear to wear over my head
 The unattractive and stained hat
 Whose firmness a long period of time has destroyed.
 Have the golden cover, you who are golden,
 10 Even though you prudently fix your gaze on things that are not
 ephemeral.¹²

v. 1: Philes does not begin this composition with an appeal to his recipient, but by emphasising strongly the affectionate relationship that the dedicatee has with him; the kind of relationship existing between the two is more precisely defined by the expression ἡδιστα, which conveys the poet's satisfaction with this friendship, and ἐξ ἔθους, which reminds the addressee of his long familiarity with Philes, and thus, discreetly, of his obligations towards him. The importance of the relationship between the two is further underlined by the prominent position of τὴν σχέσιν which frames the line. Although in the first verse the poet strives to present the rapport as equal, it will soon emerge that Philes actually finds himself in a subordinate position, where he needs both material help and protection.

v. 2–3: once the bond of affection with the recipient has been clearly established, Philes finally addresses his recipient as κοσμήτωρ τῆς ἐμῆς τύχης. The use of the word κοσμήτωρ is a clear example of the several layers of meaning often present in Philes' poems. For κοσμήτωρ means both 'guide, leader' and 'one who adorns' (LSJ, s.v.). The ambiguity of this expression – on the one hand, the guiding function of leader, on the other the more material function of someone who adorns – seems to disguise a subtle request for gifts already from the beginning of the poem. The term κοσμήτωρ is found numerous times in Greek and Byzantine authors, but, the phrase κοσμήτωρ τύχης appears only in Philes (Flor. 118, 11; Flor. 131, 7; Martini 76, 5¹³) and always in the same verse position. It should also be noted that, even though ἄληκτε κοσμήτωρ – which is to be found only here – has a preeminent position in the centre of the verse, it is enclosed within τῆς ἐμῆς and τύχης, both of which refer to Philes: by doing so the reader's attention is immediately

¹² The text printed above is edited in MILLER, *Carmina*, I 233; the translation is mine. I would like to thank Mary Whitby for her help with it.

¹³ MARTINI, *Carmina inedita*, 97; this poem is a longer version of Flor. 131.

redirected from the recipient to the poet. The shift between request and homage continues into the next line; for Philes compliments his addressee and, at the same time, underlines his liberality – by defining him as φιλοτιμότητε, most munificent – and his concern for the poor: thus, the author ingeniously continues to solicit for gifts, while apparently praising his interlocutor.

v. 4–5: at this point Philes spells out his request: he is asking for the addressee's old hat. The request is carefully expressed in l. 4 by means of the three imperative verbs, which break the verse into three equal tetrasyllabic cola, differentiated only by the presence of με in place of καί at the end of the line, and make it very balanced. It is worth dwelling briefly on the verbs Philes uses here, as they are quite revealing and bring out different aspects of his relationship with the recipient.

ῥυθμίζω means to arrange, order something or, when referred to persons, to educate, train (LSJ, s.v.); by choosing this word Philes is resuming and playing with the preceding κοσμήτωρ: since the addressee is endowed with the skills of a leader, the poet seeks to be guided and educated by him; by doing so Philes is acknowledging the recipient's superior status and complimenting him for his skills. πυκάζω to cover closely, surround (LSJ, s.v.), often conveys also an idea of protection (*Il.* 10. 271; 17. 551); although at first glance one could interpret πύκαζε simply as 'wrap, cover', by choosing this verb Philes is expressing an appeal for protection and help. Finally στολίζω to equip, dress (LSJ, s.v.) brings the poet's request down to a practical level: after a plea for guidance and protection, now the poet asks for a material proof of affection from his benefactor; in a sort of anti-climax Philes moves from 'higher' to 'lower' things and makes his priorities clear.

The verse ends with the personal pronoun με that is thus given great force, and once again points the reader's attention to the poet. The enjambement between l. 4 and 5 interrupts the flow of thoughts and delays the disclosure of the object of Philes' request, somehow rendering it more significant. It is also worth noting how με at the end of l. 4 is connected with, and contrasted to τῆς σῆς κεφαλῆς at the beginning of the next verse: again the poet plays with shifting the attention's focus back and forth from himself to the recipient as in a game of mirrors. One should also notice how σκέπη, placed at the end of the verse, holds a prominent position and, at the same time, delays as long as possible the revelation of what Philes wants.

Before proceeding to the second part of the composition, it is necessary to make a few observations on the use of σκέπη, as Philes is availing himself of the polysemy of this word to retain the double

register of meaning – spiritual and practical – that has emerged from the start, and thus to give unity to his composition. σκέπη – shelter, protection, covering and, by extension, roof or hat – applies to both material and symbolic protection, and appears quite often in Philes' poems mainly with three different meanings. Most frequently σκέπη is used in the sense of 'protection, refuge', which either the Virgin or powerful benefactors provide the poet with, as for instance in Par. 172.8 or Esc. 184.3. In this way Philes is reconnecting himself to a long-standing Christian tradition that depicts the Virgin and Christ as shelter for the human race; suffice it to mention the *Akathistos Hymn* 11.13 where Mary is called σκέπη τοῦ κόσμου, Romanos' hymn on Christmas 23.6, where Mary is σκέπη κραταιά, and the hymn on the Epiphany 1.9 where Christ is addressed as σκέπη γυμνοῖς. The second meaning which Philes uses for this word is that of 'grass or foliage', and usually entails a sense of rebirth and renewal; for example Esc. 191.69; Par. 61.152; Par. 113.34. The last meaning that Philes ascribes to σκέπη, which is the most relevant to this poem, refers to material coverings either for the body – a cloak, as in Flor. 136.22; a roof, as in Par. 56.62 – or for the head, as in this case or in Par. 86.2. I suggest that in this composition the author intentionally plays with the multiple meanings of σκέπη and, while he is soliciting for the addressee's dismissed hat – which to be sure constitutes his main objective – he is also asking for protection and guidance, so as to flatter his recipient; by doing so, Philes is also resuming the strand of thoughts started in l. 2 by the use of κοσμητορ τύχης and subsequently in l. 4 by ῥύθμιζε καὶ πύκαζε, and hence gives coherence to the text.

The first part of l. 5 prompts one further remark; the fact that the poet asks for τῆς σῆς κεφαλῆς τῇ προληφθείσῃ σκέπῃ may seem somehow redundant, as a hat has its perfect place and function exactly on one's head. However, in this case it is very probable that Philes plays with the family name Χρυσοκέφαλος and pays homage to the addressee, while he also gives hints of the identity of the poem's recipient.

v. 6–8: at this point the poet explains the reason for his request: he needs a new hat because he cannot bear any longer to wear his old floppy one. Not only is his hat old, but it is also ugly and stained; the participle κατεσπλωμένην, which occupies the second hemistich with its six syllables is certainly meant to highlight the inadequate condition of the poet's hat, and the 'seriousness' of the situation is then further underlined by the forceful and prominent statement οὐ φορητόν μοι in l. 8.

It is impossible to understand from these verses what type of hat Philes is requesting, since he defines it simply as σκέπη and does not provide any detail about its shape or colour. Hats were not part of Byzantine official attire until the eleventh century: there are no mentions of them in ceremonial handbooks of the ninth and tenth centuries, and furthermore, no one could wear a hat when the emperor was present.¹⁴ In Palaiologan times, however, headdresses had become an essential and fashionable component of official clothing and were worn by all dignitaries, whose office was indicated by the colour of their hats. The most common types of head-covers were the *stephanos*, a circlet of gold with pearls and precious stones, which was worn by the despotes and the sebastokrator; the *skaranikon* and the *skiadion*, which were worn by all officials – including the despotes – in different colours according to one's rank.¹⁵ Besides official headdresses, it is known that woollen hats could be found both in Constantinople and in Thessalonica, and casual head-covers – *πίλος* – might be worn every day by ordinary citizens.¹⁶ Monks usually did not wear hats as part of their monastic dress, but wore the *koukoulion*: a hood, generally dark and pointed at the top.¹⁷ Yet evidence from both frescoes and illuminations shows that from the middle of the eleventh century monks and ecclesiastics could wear also small tight black caps or bonnets in place of the *koukoulion*;¹⁸ and it is perhaps to this type of headgear that Philes is referring to.

¹⁴ For a thorough discussion of headgear in Byzantium see M. PARANI, *Reconstructing the Reality of Images, Byzantine Material Culture and Religious Iconography (11th–15th Centuries)*. Leiden/Boston 2003, 67–71.

¹⁵ PARANI, *ibid.* 69.

¹⁶ Hats were an essential garment in late Byzantium; gifts of and requests for hats appear occasionally also in Byzantine epistles, but not under the name σκέπη; see A. KARPOZILOS, *Realia in Byzantine Epistolography*. *BZ* 88 (1995) 68–84.

¹⁷ For a description of the monastic habit see A.-M. TALBOT, *Schema*. *ODB* 3, 1849.

¹⁸ For a thorough discussion of the use and meaning of the monastic cap see J. ANDERSON, *The illustrated Sermons of James the Monk: Their Dates, Order, and Place in the History of Byzantine Art*. *Viator* 22 (1991) 69–120, especially 70–76. Anderson argues that when caps first appeared in paintings, they were used to signify that the monk was then alive, recently deceased or considered contemporary, as in the case of the illuminator of the Pantokrator Monastery codex 234, who portrayed Michael Psellos in full monastic garb and wearing a rather tall round black cap. Several instances of monastic caps are also to be found in paintings of the Palaiologan era; the portrait of the metropolitan Jacob of Serres in a Slavonic Tetraevangelion of the British Museum, Add. 3926, dated 1354, shows Jacob clad in Byzantine clerical robe and a black bonnet; in codex Sinait. Gr. 198, a Palaiologan Tetraevangelion of the fourteenth century, the

It is also very hard to determine the sort of hat Philes wants to replace with the 'second-hand' one he is demanding; however, we can perhaps propose a hypothesis on the basis of the elements present in the poem. The poet complains about the loss of *τόνος* of his old hat; therefore, we could think that Philes' floppy old hat was one of those tall hats with concave sides and a very broad top larger than its base, which appear in some frescoes of the Palaiologan period;¹⁹ loss of firmness and shape would surely make such headgear awkward and unsightly to wear, hence Philes' grumble about it.

But, as mentioned above, Philes complains not only about the hat's ugliness but also about the fact that it is stained. The word *κατεσπιλωμένην* in l. 6 is a rare occurrence in Philes and deserves some consideration. *κατασπιδώ* is a later and strengthened form of the simple verb *σπιδώ* – to stain, soil (LSJ, s.v.); the perfect middle-passive participle appears in the New Testament in the phrase *τὸν ἀπὸ τῆς σαρκὸς ἐσπιλωμένον χιτῶνα* (*Epistula Juda*, 23), as well as in the writings of several Patristic authors (Chrys. *De Spe*, PG 60, 774.33) to describe man's sinful soul. The form found in the present poem was previously used only once by Symeon the New Theologian in one of his *Hymns of the divine love*; in that case the word occupies the same metrical *sedes* but is used in a very different context, as it refers to the New Theologian's soul (*τὴν ψυχὴν τὴν κατεσπιλωμένην*, *Hymns* 19.13). Other forms of the participle appear several times, mostly in writings on religious subjects both Patristic and Byzantine, and usually refer to the human soul or body soiled by sin (*χιτῶνα, οἶον τὸν ἀπὸ τῶν σαρκικῶν*

monk Germanos knelt before St. John is portrayed with a black headdress. The most interesting case is represented by one of the miniatures of the codex Par. Gr. 1242, a luxury code probably completed between 1371 and 1375 containing four theological treatises of John VI Cantacuzenos, as well as several portraits of the same emperor. On f. 5^v the emperor is depicted in full regalia, presiding over the Council of 1351 and flanked by the metropolitans of Constantinople, Heraclea, Thessalonike and Cyzicus, lay officers and clergy. According to I. Spatharakis, the three figures next to the patriarch of Cyzicus, all clad in a dark *sticharion* and a black headgear may represent the next three signers in the list of the *Tomos*, namely Makarios Chrysokephalos himself, Jacob of Chalcedon and Metrophanes of Melanikus. The identification is not incontrovertible, as the three could be anti Palamites instead; in any case, this is strong evidence that also monks and clergy wore hats. See I. SPATHARAKIS, *The Portrait in Byzantine illuminated Manuscripts*. Leiden 1976, 87–90, 129–139, 230–232, plates 56, 57, 58, 86, 174. I would like to thank Elizabeth Jeffreys for her help with this reference.

¹⁹ PARANI (as footnote 14 above) 337 and plates 71, 77 note.

παθῶν, τῶν ἀπὸ τῆς σαρκὸς ἡδονῶν καὶ παραπτωμάτων κατεσπλωμένον, Photius *Epistulae et Amphilocheia*, 4.14; ὁ τὸν κατεφθαρμένον καὶ κατεσπλωμένον φορῶν χιτῶνα τῆς ἁμαρτίας, Palamas *Homily* 27, 10.10), thus clearly recovering and retaining the genuine meaning found in the Scriptures. In this instance Philes moves away from previous usage, as he passes over any metaphorical meaning and uses κατεσπλωμένην only to signify the poor state of his hat;²⁰ but it might also be possible that the author is aware of the various usages of this word, and that he decides to play with it. If, as I think, this composition is dedicated to the monk and metropolitan Makarios, we can imagine that Philes is playing with his interlocutor, and is paying tribute to his knowledge and religious status: as a scholar and exegete he would certainly identify the scriptural allusion implicit in κατεσπλωμένην.

v. 9–10: the poem concludes with a word-play based on χρυσοῦς and χρυσῆν. Undoubtedly this is another pun related to the family name Chrysokephalos, as well as a way to place further emphasis on the generosity of the recipient; for Philes very often describes his patrons as χρυσοῦς (Esc 90.3; Flor. 86.16) to solicit their liberality in an attempt to obtain greater recompense by flattering their wealth. In these verses it is also possible to detect a strong contrast between the repeated reference to gold and the closing remark on the recipient's lack of interest in material and transient things; Philes seems to imply that there are no excuses for the recipient to reject his request for a hat, as he no longer has need of earthly possessions but he is focussed only on spiritual matters.

In the second half of verse 9 the poet goes on to wish Makarios a χρυσῆν σκέπην. Although such wish may at first appear inappropriate – as it is addressed to a religious man or, possibly, to a man about to enter monastic life – I believe that Philes is yet again playing with the polysemy of the word σκέπη and, by doing so, he bestows simultaneously upon his wish a twofold significance. As mentioned before, σκέπη carries also the concrete meaning of 'roof' and 'cloak'; hence it is possible that the poet is no longer referring simply to a golden hat, rather that he is wishing, and predicting his addressee a brilliant ecclesiastical career. χρυσῆν σκέπην, in fact, may be a subtle allusion to the *sakkos*, one of the richly embroidered church vestments that

²⁰ The only other occurrence of this term in Philes' corpus, in the form κατεσπλωμένον, is found in *De proprietate animalium* v. 951, F. DÜBNER/F.S. LEHRS (eds.), *Poetae bucolici et didactici*. Paris 1862, 3–68, in the description of an elephant.

metropolitans and bishops would wear as part of their attire.²¹ In addition to this, Philes might be hiding in the mention of the golden covering a further clever reference to Makarios' family. For the family of the Chrysokephaloi seems to have originated from Trebizond, where – from early times – one of the main churches of the city was dedicated to the Panaghia Chrysokephalos; this church served as Metropolis already from the tenth century and, after several renovations, was rebuilt as imperial coronation church in 1214.²² The name of the Panaghia Chrysokephalos has been variously explained as deriving either from the golden colour of its copper roof, or from a mosaic icon of the Virgin housed in the cathedral.²³ Regardless of the origin of such appellation, which is not specifically relevant to this poem, nevertheless it is possible to recognize in the phrase χρυσὴν σκέπην Philes' sophisticated poetic technique: not only he is wishing Makarios to become a high-rank ecclesiastic, but, at the same time, he also wishes him to become, in due course, Metropolitan of his family's place of origin.

The concluding verse deserves attention, as it seems to allude to the religious/monastic status of the addressee, and so it could offer a terminus *post quem* for dating the poem. As mentioned above, Chrysokephalos became a monk in 1328 and was later ordained hieromonk, before being elected Metropolitan of Philadelphia. Unfortunately, there is no definitive evidence to prove that Makarios was in Constantinople before his election; nonetheless it seems very reasonable to assume that he may have been born and educated in the capital. If this was the case, considering that Philes was certainly

²¹ Theodore Balsamon says that wearing the *sakkos* was originally a patriarch privilege, but by the thirteenth century it was extended to metropolitans and, eventually, to bishops as well. See *PG* 138, 988–989, 1020. I would like to thank Marc Lauxtermann for his help with this problematic reference.

²² PASSARELL (as footnote 6 above) 26; G. MILLET, *Les monastères et les églises de Trébizonde*. *BCH* 19 (1895) 419–459; N. BAKLANOV, *Deux monuments byzantins de Trébizonde: II. La Panagia Chrysocéphale de Trébizonde*. *Byz* 4 (1927) 377–391; CHRYSANTHOS, *Metr. Trapezountos, Ἡ Ἐκκλησία Τραπεζούντος. Ἀρχεῖον Πόντου* 4–5 (1933); N. ΟΙΚΟΝΟΜΙΔΗΣ, *Χρονολόγησις τῆς ἀνοικοδομήσεως τοῦ ναοῦ τῆς Χρυσοκεφάλου. Ἀρχεῖον Πόντου* 18 (1953) 214–217.

²³ BAKLANOV, *ibid.* 389; CHRYSANTHOS, *ibid.* 380. The icon is mentioned already in a letter of Theodore Prodromos to the Metropolitan of Trebizond Stephanos Skylitzes; in it the poet begs Stephanos to plead with the χρυσοκεφάλῳ τῇ Θεομήτορι on his behalf; see *PG* 133, 1257.

alive until 1332²⁴ and Chrysokephalos was appointed to the metropolitan see in 1336, we could place the composition of this poem between 1328 and 1332/6; for it is logical to expect that Philes advanced his request while Makarios was still residing in the capital so that this poetic tribute, followed perhaps by the gift of the hat, would have been easily practicable, if indeed the donation ever occurred.²⁵

The frequent mentions of the words head and gold, the final remark which stresses the addressee's disregard for secular pursuits as well as the potential scriptural allusion contained in the term *κατεσπλωμένην* make the identification of the poem's recipient with Makarios Chrysokephalos very plausible: the poet seems to take advantage of every opportunity to hint at Makarios' family name and to compliment him explicitly and implicitly by means of word-play and allusions. As it has been shown, Philes works on several levels of meaning in this poem: each word has its own literal meaning, but a closer reading reveals allusions which add another dimension to the text and disclose hidden implications.

I conclude with some general remarks on the content and the structure of this short, but intriguing, poem. It is interesting to note how the poem opens – by commending the friendship that ties Makarios to the poet – and ends on a spiritual note – by recalling the recipient's detachment from earthly matters – and with high praise for Chrysokephalos, praise which apparently deflects attention from the poet's request, but in fact prepares for the appearance of his plea right in the middle of the composition, and strengthens it before the conclusion. In addition to this feature which brings together the poem's beginning and end, it is possible to detect another unifying thread throughout the text: namely, the constant presence of terms related to the concept of protection, both symbolic and material. The use of words such as *κοσμήτωρ*, *ῥυθμίζω* and *πυκάζω* seems indeed to point to an unequal

²⁴ Little is known about Philes' vicissitudes, and what is known is based on internal evidence derived from his poems. G. Stickler, who studied Philes in depth, believes that the poet died sometime in the 1330 s, as the last poem that can be dated with certainty is a panegyric for the birth of John V, which occurred in June 1332. For a detailed discussion of Philes' life see STICKLER (as footnote 1 above) 19–23.

²⁵ Another possibility would be to date the poem to the time before Makarios entered monastic life: perhaps he was known for his generosity and unworldly feelings, and this spurred Philes to address him his request for the gift of a hat. Such dating would resolve the puzzling wish for a golden covering – although I believe that that is another allusion to Makarios' family name and future career. I thank one of the anonymous readers for suggesting this alternative dating.

relation in which the recipient, who belongs to a higher rank, is supposed to provide guidance and protection to his protégé. Even when the poet puts forward a tangible request, by choosing the word σκέπη to refer to Makarios' hat he does not completely leave behind the symbolic realm of protection, as this word is ambiguous and is intended to convey diverse meanings, as seen earlier. One should presume that the ultimate aim of the poem is to obtain a concrete gift, but Philes strives to present himself as concerned with intangible gifts too.²⁶ Indeed, by means of learned allusions and metaphors throughout the text, the poet makes his appeal more detached, less blatant and also repays the addressee – as it were in advance – for his expected generous gift. This same kind of procedure is used also in other poems of similar content, for this is not the only poem in which the author asks for a hat, though it is certainly the longest and most elaborate. I would like to comment briefly on two other short poems dedicated by Philes to Pepagomenos – a physician who resided in Constantinople between 1295 and 1332²⁷ – in which the author again asks for the gift of a hat and, again, calls it σκέπη.²⁸ These are poems Par. 86 and 90.²⁹

Par. 86 Εἰς τὸ αὐτό

Τὴν σὴν κεφαλὴν (τὴν ἐμὴν δῆπου λέγω)
 Τῇ σῇ σκέπῃ στόλιζε, κοσμήτορ φίλων·
 Ἴσως ἀπ' αὐτῆς εὐφρανεῖς τὴν καρδίαν,
 Ὅταν λάβῃς πλόκαμον εὐρύθμων στίχων.

²⁶ This is not a unique occurrence, for similar hedging on Philes' part is clear in other occasional poems too; see for instance Esc. 186. The use of allusions or the avoidance of very obvious requests for a reward can be interpreted in various ways: it allows the poet to maintain a double register and therefore offers more room for poetic embellishment and intellectual divertissement; it offers the opportunity to flatter the recipient and to praise his or her other qualities besides wealth.

²⁷ Miller in a footnote to the first of the poems dedicated τῷ ἱατρῷ τῷ Πεπαγωμένῳ erroneously identifies the recipient with Demetrios Pepagomenos, also a doctor, who lived in Constantinople in the first half of the fifteenth century; see MILLER (as footnote 1 above) II 139. For the identification of this Pepagomenos see *PLP* no. 22345.

²⁸ Philes seems to be an exception in defining hats σκέπη, rather than referring to them by their usual names σκαράνικον, σκιάδιον, πῖλος. The term σκιάδιον is found only once in the title of poem Esc. 205 (MILLER, as footnote 1 above, I, 100), while several times Philes uses the term κάλυπτρα, see Par. 84 and 89, MILLER, *ibid.* II 142–143.

²⁹ MILLER, *ibid.* II 142–143.

Par. 90 Εἰς τὸ αὐτό

Δέδοικα, φιλόστοργε, τῶν ἄλλων πλέον,
 Μὴ πρὶν με λαβεῖν τῆς κεφαλῆς τὴν σκέπην,
 Ἄλγος κεφαλῆς ἐκδοθῇ μοι τῆς λύπης·
 Ἴπποκράτους παῖ, δὸς τὸ χαυνοῦν τὸν πόνον.

There are numerous similarities and even repetitions between these poems and Flor. 58 that leap immediately to the eye. In poem 86, for instance, Philes reuses the forms *στόλιζε* and *κοσμήτορ*, but this time, due to the brevity of the text, he condenses the two in a single verse; in poem 90 Papagomenos is called *φιλόστοργε*, an attribute Philes employs to underline the close bond of affection between him and the addressee, thus making his plea pressing and hard to reject, as it occurred also in Flor. 58. Besides the presence of linguistic parallels, another noteworthy feature is the fact that even in such short poems Philes avails himself of puns and allusions, which are always extremely pertinent to both the context and the recipient of his compositions, as has been shown earlier in this paper. It is worthwhile to have a closer look at these texts, since they may enhance our understanding of poem Flor. 58 and are also quite revealing of Philes' technique.

The first of these two poems is characterised by indistinctness and interchangeability from the start: Philes, in fact, urges Papagomenos to cover his head, indeed the poet's head, with a hat; if Papagomenos does so, he will gladden his own heart.³⁰ This is certainly the sense of l. 3, especially in the light of the closing verse; however, the poet at first does not specify whose heart will rejoice. This ambiguity is easily explained by the fact that both the poet and the recipient will gain something from the exchange and will therefore have a cause to celebrate: Philes will receive a hat to adorn his head, while Papagomenos will have in return a tribute of harmonious verses sprung from the poet's head – *ἀπ' αὐτῆς*. There is also a clear sense of reciprocity in the poem, by which the author achieves a twofold result: on the one hand Philes employs it to underline the closeness between him and his patron; in this way he attempts to portray the relationship as equal and makes it difficult for Papagomenos to decline his plea. On the other hand, the poet uses such reciprocity – which concerns not only the content, but also the language with its repetitions and puns – as a web that closely connects all the facets of the text. Finally, it is worth noting

³⁰ Here Philes is alluding to *Proverbs* 23.15: *υἱέ, ἐὰν σοφὴ γένηται σου ἡ καρδία, εὐφρανεῖς καὶ τὴν ἐμὴν καρδίαν*.

that Philes describes his poetic homage as *πλόκαμον*, thus remaining within the semantic context of the initial and pivotal *κεφαλή* and giving further coherence to the composition.

In the second poem dedicated to Pepagomenos Philes presents his request from a different angle and with a more urgent tone: he needs a hat to avoid a headache, but it may already be too late. Contrary to what happens in the previous composition, this poem does not involve any reciprocal action or exchange between the writer and the addressee, as Philes is not offering verses as a recompense for the recipient's gift; rather he focuses on Pepagomenos' medical ability to heal his ailment, and asks for a remedy to curb the pain. Also in this poem *κεφαλή* plays a very significant role, which is further highlighted by the chiasmic and antithetical pattern *τῆς κεφαλῆς τὴν σκέπην* and *ἄλγος κεφαλῆς* in l. 2–3. The contrast in these expressions is related not only to form but, even more, to content; for, the former expression conveys a positive meaning and designates a protection for the head of the poet, while the latter is negative and may have distressing consequences for him, if Pepagomenos does not take action swiftly. The composition ends with a tribute aimed at praising the recipient's professional skills by calling him *Ἱπποκράτους παῖ*, and with the reiteration of the poet's request, which brings the poem to its ideal completion.

There are undoubtedly further aspects of these poems one could comment upon, but it is now time to draw some conclusions. We have seen that these poems differ substantially in inspiration, tone and complexity, though they are all occasional compositions written to request the gift of a hat. The same topic is developed from different perspectives, and also the relationship between the poet and his recipient is treated differently: sometimes the poet tries to present it as a rapport between equals, at other times he places himself in a subordinate position where he needs guidance and help. The general tone of the poems changes as well, and this contributes significantly to make similar texts entertaining and never monotonous; for example, in Flor. 58 Philes uses a tone of homage and praise, in Par. 86 the tenor is light-hearted, if not slightly cheeky, while in Par. 90 it is somehow urgent. Despite all the variation, however, it is possible to identify a unifying feature in the presence of metaphors and allusions, which give depth to the text, add meaning to it and often play with and flatter the recipient. The use of images and puns is not only interesting from a stylistic point of view, but it is also very useful for gaining insight into the environment in which Philes lived and operated. The whole poetic process is very subtle and clever, and shows how even in short poems

like these, the author carefully selects words, bestows multiple meanings upon them and manipulates their position, so as to achieve maximum effect and surprising outcomes. This is a sort of poetry quite different from what modern readers expect – more the creation of skilled poetic craftsmanship than an impulse of the soul – but a careful and close examination of these texts clearly reveals subtle ideas, and sparks of wit that make the poems entertaining, playful, and valuable to gain a deeper understanding of the Byzantine thought.

Abstract

Manuel Philes dedicated countless occasional poems to his many benefactors to praise their qualities and ask for all sorts of assistance, both spiritual and material. This article analyses one of these compositions, namely poem Flor. 58, and offers a commentary of its language and content. On the basis of the imagery, repetitions and allusions present in the text, it is argued that this untitled poem was in fact dedicated to the scholar and metropolitan of Philadelphia Makarios Chrysokephalos to request the gift of a hat. The detailed reading of the text aims at showing the presence of several layers of meaning which characterise the whole poem, as well as illustrating Philes' sophisticated poetic technique.

PROCOPIUS *DE AEDIFICIIS* 4.2.1–22 ON THE THERMOPYLAE FRONTIER

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Introduction

Opportunities to directly compare archaeological remains with ancient testimonia are rare occurrences. Whenever such a situation arises, an ancient historian's narrative can be laid bare and subjected to a litmus test of sorts that can shed insights into that author's relative historical value.¹

In the fourth book of the *De aedificiis* (4.2.1–22) the court historian of the Emperor Justinian I (527–565), Procopius of Caesarea, described the second military frontier of the Balkans that was arrayed along the mountainous terrain of the southern Malian Basin.² Within this passage Procopius describes the area's topography, the renovation of frontier fortifications, mentions mountain routes, several toponyms, a major highway, and a narrow fortified pass, which both permitted a flanking maneuver against Thermopylae and allowed direct access into Central Greece. In the course of this descriptive tour, Procopius fixed upon a stronghold named Myropóles in close association with the above

¹ For a strong critique of Procopius' *De aedificiis* from the archaeological perspective, see: B. CROKE, J. CROW, Procopius and Dara, *JRS* 73 (1983) 143–159; to be balanced against M. WHITBY, Procopius' Description of Dara (*Buildings* II.1–3), in O. Freeman/D. Kennedy (eds.), *The Defense of the Roman and Byzantine East. BAR International Series* 297 (ii). Oxford 1986, 737–783, who argues for Procopius' obligatory stylistic exaggeration rather than outright misrepresentation and fabrication.

² It has been argued that the Balkan incursion by Alaric from 395–398 “provided the final stimulus for a comprehensive and coordinated defensive policy for Greece and the prefecture of Illyricum.” So T.E. GREGORY, Kastro and Diateichisma as responses to Early Byzantine Frontier Collapse, *Byzantion* 62 (1992) 242. What emerged was a defense-in-depth strategy that was memorialized in three, onion-like defensive layers that protected the Balkan Peninsula. Therefore, the first Balkan frontier as enumerated by Procopius was located along the fortified right bank of the Danube River (*De aed.* 4.1.33, 4.5.1–17) and the third and last at the fortifications of the Isthmus of Corinth (*De aed.* 4.2.27–28). While the Thermopylai region's history was surely an apt *topos* for rhetorical attention, the region nonetheless represented a frontier that defended Central Greece just as the fortifications at the Isthmus were meant to protect the Peloponnesus.

mentioned mountain pass that his emperor rebuilt and refortified anew. On the basis of the known architecture and archaeology of the southwestern Malian Basin and its terrain, Procopius' description of the region's frontier fortifications, its κλεισόυρα, and the site of Myropóles all best correspond to the Oíte-Kallídhromos frontier barrier,³ the Dhéma Pass, and the modern village of Káto Dhió Vouná, respectively. An examination of Procopius' account,⁴ therefore, is appropriate in the

³ In both an administrative and military sense, the mountainous Thermopylae frontier, which is defined by the eastern slopes of Mount Oíte's Tsoúka promontory, the Trachinian cliffs, and the Kallídhromos range, formed the traditional northern frontier of Achaia: a fact not immediately grasped by the Early Roman provincial administration (W.J. CHERF, *The Roman Border between Achaia and Macedonia. Chiron* 17 [1987] 135–142). However, by the late Roman period, the Thermopylae frontier would represent the last physical and psychological bastion that separated the province from incursive savagery. As such, this mountainous 15 km wide frontier barrier was studded with fortifications, walls, and lookout towers. These are, from west to east: the Dhéma Fortification Complex, the fortified mount of Herákleia, the Khalkómata tower, the watch tower at Tridhéndhri, the Fylakí complex, the Dhamásta complex, the remains at The Olive Orchard NNW of Muntzméno, the Muntzméno complex, the Long Wall of the Middle Gate, two separate watch tower remains, Thermopylae proper, a Long Wall west of Hill I, the Lithári fort, and the Long Wall of the East Gate. The command center of this frontier was presumably located at Kástro té's Horiás, a late Roman site situated atop a solitary rock formation that commanded the immediate rear of the Thermopylae frontier at an elevation of 743 m.

⁴ This commentary follows for the most part the Greek text of D. HOESCHEL (ed.), *Procopii Caesariensis Historiarum libri octo*. Augsburg 1607 (= HOESCHEL); J. HAURY/G. WIRTH (eds.), *Procopii Caesariensis Opera Omnia*. Leipzig 1964 with reference to the editions of C. MALTRETUS (ed.), *Corpus Byzantinae Historiae*. Venice 1729 (= MALTRETUS), G. DINDORF (ed.), *Procopius. Corpus Scriptorum Historicorum Byzantinae*. III, Bonn 1838 (= DINDORF), and H.B. DEWING/G. DOWNEY (eds.), *Procopius. VII. Buildings*. Cambridge 1940 (= DEWING/DOWNEY). Regarding the MSS referenced, V = the 13th century codex *Vat. gr.* 1065, was written on silk folios by a single hand in a good script. Chapter titles, initial letters of paragraphs, and marginalia were written in red. Iota subscripts either were written or neglected altogether. A = the fourteenth century codex *Ambr.* 75 A 182 sup. Written on 248 small, columned pages, pages 189 through 223 verso were devoted to the *De aedificiis*. Initial letters are sometimes written in red ink. Iota subscripts are missing. A few marginalia appear in red. Haury clearly preferred V over A as the superior MS. He noted that V is generally more refined in its language and grammatical construction. Furthermore, V contains the geographically organized lists of fortifications built or restored in the Balkans (*De aed.* 4.4, 4.9). Meanwhile A, although correct, is shorter, drier in style, and lacks these lists. On this basis, A has been judged as inferior to V, so G. DOWNEY, *The Composition of Procopius' De Aedificiis. Transactions and*

hope that something new may be revealed about Procopius' sources, his work's purpose, and perhaps even its value to an archaeologist.⁵

An analysis of this passage's organization and structure reveals that Procopius broke it up into three geographical subdivisions,⁶ which he then described in turn:

- 1) The fortifications of the Thermopylae region (4.2.1–15),
- 2) The fortified Thessalian settlements scattered along the western uplands of the Malian Basin, but located "outside" (ἔκτος) the former (4.2.16), and,
- 3) The region of Herákleia, which contained the highway, narrow pass (κλεισούρα), and the strongholds of Herákleia and Myropóles (4.2.16–22).

Unlike the many forts and fortresses present throughout the Thermopylae region, Procopius specifically went out of his way to describe the location of the κλεισούρα (4.2.17) and then went on and to offer four clues about the stronghold Myropóles that guarded it:

- (a) Myropóles is situated in the region of Herákleia at one *side* of the pass;
- (b) The stronghold was deemed important enough to be the object of renovation by Justinian's military engineers;
- (c) Myropóles was not located in the immediate neighborhood of the city of Herákleia; and,
- (d) Near Myropóles was a cross wall, which both blockaded the κλεισούρα at its narrowest point and simultaneously allowed a nearby mountain stream to collect and form a pond behind it.

The organization of this passage by geographical subdivision suggests that Procopius' account may have been influenced by his sources: be they personal autopsy, itineraries, or archival materials of some kind. In fact, Procopius repeatedly (and perhaps predictably given the panegy-

Proceedings of the American Philological Association 78 (1947) 180–181, who has suggested that the difference between these two MSS may be that A was Procopius' 'first' draft, while V represented a revised and updated 'second' edition.

⁵ Something that T.E. GREGORY, Procopius on Greece. *Antiquité Tarde* 8 (2000) 105, has commented upon: "It is difficult to correlate the text of the *Buildings* with surviving archaeological remains."

⁶ Procopius' tendency to break up lengthy or complex descriptions has been also noted in his tripartite account of the city of Antioch, so G. DOWNEY, Procopius on Antioch. A Study of Method in the '*De Aedificiis*'. *Byzantion* 14 (1939) 367.

ical thrust of the *De aedificiis*) complained that the amount of material on the subject was overwhelming,⁷ and where else but the imperial archives could have the assistant of Belisarius found such a seemingly endless supply of architectural data?⁸ Furthermore, there is little reason for not believing Procopius' claim, for ever since 443, the Master of Offices at Constantinople was required by law to file an annual report on the condition and troop strengths of all camps and fortresses in the Eastern Empire.⁹

It should be noted that this passage, written in generally clear and straightforward Attic prose, represents a nearly complete rhetorical exercise,¹⁰ the climax of which turned not on the ancient battlefield of Thermopylae, which would have lent itself well to rhetorical exposition. Instead, and rather cleverly, Procopius gradually developed his narrative using his description of the Thermopylae region as a foil and point of reference. From there, he then proceeded on to tell about a mountain

⁷ *De aed.* 1.2.18–19, 1.9.17–18 and 6.7.18–19.

⁸ DOWNEY, Composition (as footnote 4 above) 174 and A. CAMERON, Procopius and the Sixth Century. Berkeley 1985, 86, 219–220. Compare for example the bare catalogue-like lists of newly built and restored fortifications that appear in *De aed.* 4.4, 11, which are organized geographically, but that are practically devoid of narrative. On these lists, see: V. BEŠEVĽIEV, Zur Deutung der Kastellnamen in Prokops Werk 'De Aedificiis'. Amsterdam 1970; and M. PERRIN-HENRY, La Place des listes toponymiques dans l'organisation du livre IV des Edifices de Procope. *Geographica Byzantina* 3 (1980) 93–106. One might speculate that these lists represent Procopius' unfinished notes still in an outline form and not yet converted into smooth flowing narrative text. So also GREGORY, Procopius (as footnote 5 above) 107: "The lists represent survival of material from an early phase of Procopius' research that was never fully integrated."

⁹ *CJ* 1.31.4: "We have thought that it should be made a part of the duties of your office [Master of Offices] to file an annual report, stating the number of soldiers on every boundary subject to your jurisdiction, as well as the condition of the camps and fortresses situated there. Given at Constantinople, on the second of the Ides of September, before the Consulate of Maximus, Consul for the second time, and Paterius, A.D. 443." S. P. SCOTT, *The Civil Law*. Cincinnati 1932, XII 141. It might be coincidental, but the date of this imperial directive is timed to appear when the majority of newly established Theodosian fortifications dispersed throughout the Balkans were due for their first maintenance repairs.

¹⁰ The impression that one receives after noting the length of each book is that Procopius began this work with those areas, which he personally knew the best. He then proceeded in almost an outline fashion (i.e., the Balkan lists of toponyms mentioned above) to fill in the other regions as best he could for the time being. Admittedly, this is only a supposition, but it is not insignificant that both Book I (Constantinople) and Book IV (Balkan Peninsula) are the longest and best developed of the work's six books.

pass and it's highway that, in effect, neutralized the Thermopylae defenses if they were ever controlled by the enemy – perhaps a reflection to the treachery committed during the famous battle of 480 B.C. We are then told that only the emperor's infinite wisdom could grasp this critical fact.

Additionally, Procopius proved to be selective in his choice of points of interest and so approached his discussion of the Thermopylae defenses by using the following rhetorical elements:

(a) τόπος, Thermopylae was well-known, with a heroic Hellenic past, narrated by one of Procopius' favorite authors – Herodotus;¹¹

(b) χρόνος, Procopius could not resist the temptation of comparing the barbarian hordes of his era to those almost a millennium removed, who again were described by Herodotus;

(c) πρᾶγμα, the Thermopylae region recently had again become a tragic stage for barbarian raiders who employed surprising tactical agility;¹²

¹¹ Numerous instances of Herodotean vocabulary and phraseology occur throughout Procopius' *De aedificiis*, so H. BRAUN, *Die Nachahmung Herodots durch Prokop*. Nürnberg 1894, and A. and Av. CAMERON, *Christianity and Tradition in the Historiography of the Late Empire*. *The Classical Quarterly* 14 (1964) 317, 312–322. Some examples which appear in this passage of the *De aed.* and in J. POWELL, *A Lexicon to Herodotus*.² Cambridge 1938 include: τε ... καὶ ... ἄλλα 4.2.1; οὐ ... ἄλλα 4.2.3, 4.2.12; ἀλλήλους, -ας, -α 4.2.12, 4.2.17; ἀβροτάτος, -α, -ον 4.2.17; ἡ ἀμαξιτός 4.2.8; ἡ ἀνοδος 4.2.2, 4.2.7, 4.2.9; ἡ ἀτραπός 2.4.8; τὰ βράχια 4.2.18; ἐν Βραχύς 4.2.17; δεινός, -ή, -όν 4.2.19; ἡ δίοδος 4.2.22; ἐπιμελής 4.2.11; ἐπιτεχνάομαι 4.2.6; καθαρός, -ά, -όν 4.2.18; μάλιστα πάντων 4.2.2, 4.2.14; τὰ μάλιστα 4.2.1; ἐπὶ μακρός, -ά, -όν 4.2.15, 4.2.17; ἡ ὁδός 4.2.8, 4.2.9; παντάσιν(ν) 4.2.6; ὁ περίβολος 4.2.2, 4.2.23; ἡ περιτροπή 4.2.15; ἡ πηγή 4.2.18; πότιμος, -ον 4.2.18; οἱ προδότες 4.2.8; ὁ προμαχέων 4.2.5; ἡ προνοίη 4.2.1; τό ῥέθμα 4.2.19; τό στεινόν 4.2.8; συνάπτω 4.2.22; ταλαίπωρος, -ον 4.2.10; ἡ τέχνη 4.2.11; ὕγρος, -ά, -όν 4.2.11; ὕψηλός, -ά, -όν 4.2.19; τὸ ὕψος 4.2.5; ἐς ὕψος 4.2.3; χαλεπός, -ή, -όν 4.2.11; ἡ χαράδρα 4.2.9, 4.2.19; χεῖμαρρος, -ον 4.2.19, 4.2.22. – Thucydides and Homer completed Procopius' principal triad of exemplars, followed by Diodorus, Xenophon, and Arrian. Appian and Polybius, also made their mark as did the late historian Priskos, so B. RUBIN, *Prokopios von Kaisareia*, Nr. 21, *RE* 23/1 (1957) 306, 45–53. For Procopius' probable use of classical lexica, see: H. ERBSE, *Untersuchungen zu den attizistischen Lexica*. Berlin 1950, and H. HUNGER, *Die hochsprachliche profane Literatur der Byzantiner*. Munich 1978, I 298. Worth comparing to this passage are Hdt. 7.198 f, 7.213, and Paus. 10.22.8.

¹² Specifically in 539/540, so F. CURTA, *The Making of the Slavs. History and Archaeology of the Lower Danube Region, c. 500–700*. Cambridge 2001, 78, note 17. Hunnic raiders devastated the eastern Balkans, circumvented the defenses at Thermopylae by means of the Dhéma Pass, and then devastated all of Central Greece. *Bella* 2.4.10 DEWING. This raid must have made a lasting

(d) ἄγαλα, Procopius used this passage to dramatically illustrate his emperor's military wisdom and his far-sighted preparations in comparison to that of former men. In the process, Procopius would extravagantly credit his emperor with finally solving the defensive puzzle of a frontier that continuously vexed the strategists of old;

(e) ἔκφρασις, Procopius chose to describe the terrain and fortifications of a famous region rich in history and legend;

(f) πανηγυρικός, the *De aedificiis*, as a document of adulation too the many works of his Emperor Justinian, while not an historical source in a strict sense, can nonetheless contain "a surprising amount of historical information."¹³ The challenge before us, therefore, is to divine what is of value, and conversely, what is not.

The following commentary will expose the extent to which Procopius' employed imperial propaganda, praise, and exaggeration.¹⁴ It will be shown that the aforementioned κλεισούρα should be identified with the Dhéma Pass and that the modern investigations of the Thermopylae region's frontier remains will lay bear the value of Procopius' account. Furthermore, the passage was not meant nor was intended to be a definitive description of the entire northern frontier of Achaia and its frontier fortifications.¹⁵ Instead, Procopius' narrative is a classic example of selective story telling that perhaps found its inspiration in the parallelism of the Hunnic raid of 539/540 and the Herodotean

impression upon Constantinople and consequently was a perfect tool for Procopius' literary purposes.

¹³ C.E.V. NIXON/B.S. RODGERS, In Praise of Later Roman Emperors. The Panegyrici Latini. Berkeley 1994, 34–35.

¹⁴ The officially recognized impulse for the composition of the *De aedificiis* was an imperial request (*De aed.* 1.3.1). Such a commission demanded panegyric propaganda, based upon the strictly established rhetorical rules and formalities of the sort and magnitude that would improve the prestige of Justinian's reign, just when the wars of conquest and reunification were at their lowest ebb, so DOWNEY, Composition (as footnote 4 above) 181–182 and RUBIN, Prokopios (as footnote 11 above) 574, 59–63.

¹⁵ DOWNEY, Procopius (as footnote 6 above) 378 concluded his analysis of Procopius' treatment of the city of Antioch as follows: "One can hardly maintain that the condition of the account is to be ascribed to deficient information. Certainly Procopius had not the slightest intention of presenting a completely coherent picture of the site; this would indeed have been quite unnecessary for his purpose." Certainly much the same can be said of this passage.

account of the Persian invasion of 480 B.C. when the Persians circumvented Thermopylae by the same route.¹⁶

Commentary

4.2.1: Μετὰ δὲ τὴν Ἠπειρον ὅλην Αἰτωλούς τε καὶ Ἀκαρνᾶνας παραδραμόντι ὃ τε Κρισαῖος ἐκδέχεται κόλπος καὶ ὃ τε Ἴσθμός ἢ τε Κόρινθος καὶ τὰ ἄλλα^a τῆς Ἑλλάδος χωρία. ἔνθα δὲ τῆς παρ' αὐτοῦ τὰ μάλιστα^b προνοίας^c ἡξίωvται.

Κρισαῖος DINDORF. σκλησαῖος V pr. M. κρησσαῖος V corr. κρισσαῖος A. ἐκδέχεται MALTRETUS. ἐδέχετο V.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s.v. ^a τὰ μάλιστα, ^b ἢ προνοίη, ^c τε ... καὶ ... ἄλλα.

After the whole of Epiros, Aitolia and Akarnania as one proceeds past, one comes next to the Krisean Gulf, the Isthmus, Corinth and all the other regions of Greece. There these [regions] demanded his [Justinian's] greatest foresight.¹⁷

Procopius' topographical discussion of the Justinianic fortification program for the Thermopylae frontier begins with its geographical delineation by listing those regions to the west: the provinces of Epiros, Aitolia, and Akarnania and the Krisean Gulf,¹⁸ Isthmus, and provincial capital of Corinth to the south.¹⁹ Key is the phrase “and the other

¹⁶ G. J. SZEMLER, The Pass through Trachis – Her. 7,176.2. *Klio* 71 (1989) 211–215.

¹⁷ This translation is generally that of DEWING and DOWNEY (Procopius VII. The Buildings, 231–237), with changes based upon the critical text and apparatus of HAURY and WIRTH (*De aedificiis* 108–111) and upon the observations gained through personal autopsy, archaeological investigations, and scientific data gathered from the region.

¹⁸ To Procopius, Krisean connoted the entire Corinthian Gulf and not today's harbor of Itea, so *Bella* 5.15.17: “For example, the so-called Krisaeon Gulf, ending at Lechaëum, where the city of Corinth is, forms the isthmus of that city, about forty stades in breadth.” H. B. DEWING, Procopius. III. History of the Wars. London 1919 155. E. MEYER, *Krisa. Der Kleine Pauly* 3 (1979) 348, 9–11. Only J. KODER/F. HILD, *Hellas und Thessalia. TIB*, 1. Vienna 1976, 195 s. v. *Krisa* state that in ancient and byzantine times the term Κρισαῖος κόλπος described the modern Gulf of Itea.

¹⁹ This geographical list of Roman provinces reads like a typical sea-going itinerary from Brundisium or Ravenna east to the Greek mainland, coasting south along the western seaboard to the entrance of the Corinthian Gulf, and then east into the Corinthian Gulf as far as the Isthmus and on to the seaport of province's capital city of Corinth. Such a presentation suggests personal autopsy and may reflect a portion of the route that Procopius' took in his return from Belisarius'

regions of Greece” (καὶ τὰ ἄλλα τῆς Ἑλλάδος χωρία), which include those regions *north* of the Corinthian Gulf, the Isthmus, and Corinth and *east* of Epiros, Aitolia, and Akarnania – in sum Central Greece “demanded Justinian’s greatest foresight” (τὰ μάλιστα προνοίας) and the Thermopylae frontier was certainly one of those.²⁰

By Procopius’ time, the ancient province of Epiros had been subdivided into two – Old and New Epiros,²¹ while the ancient territorial designations of Aitolia and Akarnania do not even appear in the contemporary sixth century provincial lists of Hierokles. Presumably, the Early Byzantine province of Achaia included within its jurisdiction both of these old provinces, but in fact only one Aitolian city, Aigion, is attested and by the location of the citation it may even be a manuscript error.²² As for the northern frontier between sixth century Achaia and Thessaly, there is little to suggest that the second century Ptolemaic latitude that extended from Gorgopótamos Gorge east to Skarpheia did not remain in effect as the province’s northern-most border.²³ The closest that Procopius himself comes to describing this boundary is in *Bella* 8.5.19:

But in the [Malian] gulf between Thessaly and Boiotia there was a sudden influx of the sea at the city called Echinios and at Skarpheia in Boiotia.²⁴

Echinios (Hierokles 642.5) and Skarpheia (Hierokles 643.7) are clearly cities within the sixth century jurisdictions of Thessaly and Achaia, respectively. Yet elsewhere, it has been shown that Procopius only vaguely indicates mainland Hellas as the territory south of Thermopy-

camp in Italy to Constantinople between the spring of 540 and the second year of the plague at the Capital in the spring of 542 (*Bella* 2.22.9).

²⁰ Central Greece from Archaic through Hellenistic times was made up of a shifting mosaic of tribal territories that included (from roughly north to south): the Malians, Trachinians, Epiknemidian Lokrians, Oitaian, Dorians, Phokians, Boiotians, and the peoples of Attica. It should be noted that these tribal territories traditionally were fiercely independent and extremely regionally-minded. Although by Procopius’ time the majority of these territorial entities had ceased to exist, several of their principal cities did continue on until, and in some cases beyond, the sixth century.

²¹ E. GROAG, *Die Reichsbeamten von Achaia in spätrömischer Zeit*. Budapest 1946, 23 note 2.

²² Hierokles 648.4, curiously inserted as it is between lists of Peloponnesian toponyms and Aegean islands. Could this entry be a garbled duplication of 646.10 – Achaean Aigion?

²³ W.J. CHERF, *The Roman Borders between Achaia and Macedonia*. *Chiron* 17 (1987) 135–142.

²⁴ H.B. DEWING, *Procopius. V. History of the Wars*. Cambridge 1928, 323.

lae, including Central Greece and the Peloponnesos.²⁵ It is noteworthy that Procopius anachronistically uses the term “Krisean Gulf” to indicate the Corinthian Gulf and then cites it as requiring Justinian’s utmost attention in the same breath as with such strategic locales as the Isthmus with its Hexamilion, and Corinth the provincial capital. This should be seen as a signal that there was something truly important about the early Byzantine harbor town of Krisa. While the Justinianic renovations to the fortifications at the Isthmus and Corinth are well-documented,²⁶ the strategic importance of Krisa and its deep water harbor, however, have not received much attention.²⁷ Krisa was an important late Roman shipping point on the northern coast of the Corinthian Gulf.²⁸ Additionally, Krisa was also the southern terminus of the Isthmus Corridor Route, through which ran a highly engineered and elaborate highway system that linked the Krisean and the Malian Gulfs. The northern terminus of this highway system was the Dhéma Pass

²⁵ P. CHARANIS, *Hellas in the Greek Sources of the Sixth, Seventh, and Eighth Centuries*, in P. CHARANIS, *Studies of the Demography of the Byzantine Empire. Collected Studies*. London 1972, 162–164.

²⁶ On the remains of the Isthmian long wall and fort see: R. JENKINS, *Researches at Isthmia. The Annual of the British School at Athens* 32 (1931–1932) 68–89; O. BRONEER, *Excavations at Isthmia. Hesperia* 27 (1958) 1–37; id., *The Corinthian Isthmus and the Isthmian Sanctuary. Antiquity* 32 (1958) 80–88; E. BODNAR, *The Isthmian Fortifications in Oracular Prophecy. AJA* 64 (1960) 163–171; P. CLEMENT, *Alarich and the Fortifications of Greece. Ancient Macedonia* 2 (1977) 135–137; R. HOHLFELDER, *Trans-Isthmian Walls in the Age of Justinian. GRBS* 18 (1977) 173–179; and T. GREGORY, *The Hexamilion and the Fortress. V. Isthmia*. Princeton 1993. For the Justinianic remains at Corinth see: J. FINLEY, Jr., *Corinth in the Middle Ages. Speculum* 7 (1932) 477–499; G. DAVIDSON, *Archaeological Evidence for a Slavic Invasion of Corinth. AJA* 40 (1936) 128–129; G. DAVIDSON, *The Avar Invasion of Corinth. Hesperia* 6 (1937) 227–240; and R. SCRANTON, *Corinth. XVI. Medieval Architecture in the Central Area of Corinth*. Princeton 1957.

²⁷ This hypothesis was first put forward by E. W. KASE, *A Study of the Role of Krisa in the Mycenaean Era*. Masters thesis, Loyola University of Chicago 1970. This study was based upon road remains dated by the author to the Mycenaean period that ran from Krisa north to the Malian Basin, so E. W. KASE, *A Study of the Role of Krisa in the Mycenaean Era. AJA* 75 (1971) 205–206 and id., *Mycenaean Roads in Phocis. AJA* 77 (1973) 74–77. Kase’s initial research then lead to the discovery of the Isthmus Corridor Route, its topographical and archaeological investigation, and publication: E. W. KASE/G. J. SZEMLER/N. C. WILKIE/P. W. WALLACE (eds.), *The Great Isthmus Corridor Route. Explorations of the Phokis-Doris Expedition I. Dubuque* 1991 (= *GICR*).

²⁸ KODER/HILD, *Hellas und Thessalia* (as footnote 18 above) 195 s. v. Krisa.

located some 13 linear kilometers west of Thermopylae.²⁹ This highway system, which conveniently connected these gulfs, was clearly of great strategic and tactical importance in that it joined the militarized northern frontier of provincial Achaia with the southern deep-water port of Krisa.³⁰ The contemporary definition of a military highway (*via militaris*) that one finds in Justinian's *Digest* matches exactly the characteristics of the highway system of the Isthmus Corridor Route.³¹ It

²⁹ *ibid.*, 95, 97–98; J. KODER, Zur Frage der slavischen Siedlungsgebiete im mittelalterlichen Griechenland. *BZ* 71 (1978) 315–331; and E. KASE, The Isthmus Corridor Road System from the Valley of the Spercheios to Kirrha on the Krisaian Gulf, *GICR* 21–45. A. PHILIPPSON/E. KIRSTEN, Die griechischen Landschaften. I. Der Nordosten der griechischen Halbinsel. 2. Das Östliche Mittelgriechenland und die Insel Euboea. Frankfurt am Main 1951, 320, 375, and 382) mistake the Purnáraki Pass, instead of the Dhéma Pass, as the beginning of this route. K. BELKE, Communications: Road and Bridges, in E. Jeffreys/J. Haldon/R. Cormack (eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of Byzantine Studies*. Oxford 2008, seems to be unaware of the Isthmus Corridor Route.

³⁰ An example of the strategic and tactical importance of the Isthmus Corridor Route and the role that Krisa played occurred in the spring of 552, *Bella* 8.26.1–2: “But the emperor, learning of the situation at Croton, sent to Greece and ordered the garrison of Thermopylae to sail with all speed to Italy and bring all the assistance in their power to the besieged in Croton. And they acted accordingly, setting sail with great haste; and chancing to find a favouring wind, they put in unexpectedly at the harbour of Croton. And the barbarians, upon seeing the fleet all of a sudden, were plunged immediately into great fear and in wild confusion broke up the siege.” DEWING, Procopius. V. History of the Wars (as footnote 24 above) 327. This operation proved successful because the broad highway of the Isthmus Corridor Route insured a swift and unimpeded one-day journey from the Achaian northern frontier to the harbor of Krisa. The Straits of Otranto, between the coasts of Apulia, Italy and Albania were 72 km wide at their narrowest. Given a favorable wind, a ship could cross it in one day, so Cic. *ad Atticum* 4.1.4 and *ad familiares* 16.9.1. W. RIEPL, Das Nachrichtenwesen des Altertums mit besonderer Rücksicht auf die Römer. Leipzig 1913, 203, states that the sea route from the Corinthian Gulf to Italy took 4.5 days at most. With a good wind, one could travel from Corinth to Puteoli in 5 days, so Philostratus *Vita Apollonii* 7.10. Cf. the view of this military operation as reconstructed by F. STÄHLIN, Thermopylen. *RE* 5a (1934) 2410, 9–12, who has the Thermopylae garrison embarking from a harbor location in the Malian Gulf. Unfortunately, K. BELKE, Verkehrsmittel und Reise- bzw. Transportgeschwindigkeit zu Lande im byzantinischen Reich, in E. Kislinger/J. Koder/A. Külzer (eds.), *Handelsüter und Verkehrswege. Aspekte der Warenversorgung im östlichen Mittelmeerraum* (4. bis 15. Jahrhundert). Vienna, 2010, 45–58, was not available to the author as of this writing.

³¹ *Digest* 43.7.3: “Roads existing in any particular neighborhood, which have been derived from the contribution of land owned by private individuals, and date from time immemorial, are included in the number of public highways. A

is therefore not surprising that Procopius began his description of Greece's northern frontier defenses by setting the stage and preparing the reader for the importance of this road system, its relationship to those defenses, and the importance of both for the security of Central Greece.

A recurrent characteristic of Procopius' rhetorical signature throughout this passage is his tendency to use superlatives, gross exaggerations, and appeals to luck. Their purpose was not only stylistic, but also psychological for emphasis and impact upon his audience.³²

4.2.2: μάλιστα < δὲ > πάντων^a θαυμάσειεν ἄν τις ὁπόσοις περιβόλοις^b ἐτειχίσταο τὴν Ῥωμαίων ἀρχήν. τῶν τε γὰρ ἄλλων προϋνόησε παντῶν καὶ οὐχ ἥκιστα τῶν ἐν Θερμοπύλαις ἀνόδων.^c

< δὲ > added by Hoeschel. Omitted in V

POWELL, Lexicon s.v. ^a μάλιστα πάντων, ^b Hdt. 1.181.2: ἐτετείχιστο ... ἐν τῷ ... περιβόλῳ, ^c Hdt. 8.53.1: δὲ τῶν πυλέων καὶ τῆς ἀνόδου.

And most of all one might wonder how many walled cities with which he fortified the Roman Empire. For he took care of them all and above all the ascending inland routes in the Thermopylae [region].

Procopius begins his description of Justinian's refurbishment of the Thermopylae region's fortifications with a sweeping statement of feigned wonder.³³ What is striking is that Procopius admits that this northern frontier of Achaia acted as not only as a check against barbarian incursion beyond the porous Danubian frontier – Rome's first military frontier, but also as an internal frontier – a practical reality

difference exists between roads of this kind and military highways [*viae militares*], namely, military highways terminate at the seashore, or in cities, or at public streams, or at some other military highway, but this is not the case with roads through a neighborhood, for some of them terminate at military highways, and others end without any exit." Scott *Civil Law* IX 294.

³² So RUBIN, Prokopios (as footnote 11 above) 346, 34–64. For example, the use of superlatives appears in: τὰ μάλιστα προνοίας 4.2.1; μάλιστα 4.2.2; τὰ χαλεπώτατα 4.2.9; δυσκολώτατα 4.2.10; προμηθέστατον, ἐπιμελέστατον, ἐναντιωτάτοις 4.2.11; μακρότατον 4.2.15; μακρότατον, ἀγχοτάτῳ 4.2.17; and ὀχυρωτάτῳ 4.2.22. Typical Procopian phrases of exaggeration or wonder include: θαυμάσειεν 4.2.2 and 4.2.8; ἐκ παλαιοῦ, τοῖς ἀνθρώποις 4.2.5; τοῖς πάλοι ἀνθρώποις 4.2.9; ἐκ τοῦ παντὸς χρόνου 4.2.14; ἐκ παλαιοῦ 4.2.21; and ἐκ παλαιοῦ 4.2.22. References either to foresight, luck, or fortune: τὰ μάλιστα προνοίας 4.2.1; προδοτῶν Ἑλλήνων τυχῶν 4.2.8; ἐπὶ τῇ τύχῃ 4.2.9; τύχης τῆς ἀνθρωπεία 4.2.12; and παρατύχοι 4.2.22.

³³ Here is encountered the first time that Procopius mentions one of his three favorite themes in the *De aed.*: fortifications, water supply, and church building, so CAMERON, Procopius (as footnote 8 above) 86.

never before so blatantly admitted in the ancient sources until now.³⁴ Such a revelation is pregnant with significance, especially in light of the actual, versus claimed, security promised to the Balkan provinces by the crown. An even more ominous fact, however, would be made later implicit in *De aedificiis* 4.2.25 that even the defenses of the Thermopylae frontier themselves were not to be considered trustworthy.³⁵ What this indicates is that defense-in-depth was a recognized strategy and one that had obvious weaknesses.

In his description of the northern frontier of Achaia Procopius finds it convenient to divide his discussion of Justinian's defensive works into two sections: the regional areas of Thermopylae (*De aed.* 4.2.2–15) and those of Herákleia (*De aed.* 4.2.17–22). He seems to emphasize this division with his insertion of line 4.2.16, which briefly mentions a list of fortified Thessalian cities described as being “outside the region” (ἐκτὸς τῇ χώρᾳ) of Thermopylae. The region of Thermopylae according to Procopius' account (*De aed.* 4.2.2–15), therefore, included architectural features along the coast and in the immediate upland areas from the Asopos River Gorge east to the East Gate at Thermopylae proper and thus included far more territory than just the immediate neighborhood of the famous hot springs after which the region was named.

Procopius, a skilled rhetorician and admirer of Herodotean style, could not pass up the opportunity to include Thermopylae in his narrative. That the region was still militarily viable and events surrounding it fresh in contemporary minds only lent Procopius more license for comment.³⁶ Consequently, we should expect a good amount of Herodotean vocabulary and literary illusions to appear, and as we shall see, Procopius will not disappoint. For example, in Justinian's fortification of all “the ascending inland routes” he employs the Herodotean term, ἡ ἄνοδος, which connotes a generalized term for any sort of ascending inland route; in another, he employs the Herodotean

³⁴ Evidently, Procopius understood the mountains south of Thermopylae as being the northern frontier barrier of Central Greece. Concerning the breadth of this militarized frontier, STÄHLIN, Thermopylen (as footnote 30 above) 2422, 38–40) is quite specific: “Deshalb schritt Kaiser Iustinian zu einer gründlichen Sicherung des ganzen T[hermopylen]-Gebiets vom Osttor bis Dyovuna.”

³⁵ “But he left nothing vulnerable or unguarded, for after vigilantly caring for the safety of his subjects, he felt convinced that even if the barbarians should chance to overrun the country about Thermopylae, they would, as soon as they learned that after surmounting this obstacle they would have gained no advantage.” DEWING/DOWNEY, Procopius. VII. Buildings (as footnote 4 above), 239.

³⁶ Specifically, The recently disastrous Hunnic raid of 539/540, *Bella* 2.4.10.

plural form of ὁ περίβολος to indicate towns surrounded by a circuit wall. But at issue is Procopius' exploitation of Thermopylae's mixed reputation: heroic results against frontal attack, but an all too horrific tendency to become flanked and taken from behind by way of an undefended (or compromised) route through the neighborhood's mountainous terrain.³⁷ So reading between the lines Procopius has skillfully guided the reader into subconsciously asking the obvious: "Why is this always so about the defense of the Thermopylae frontier?" As we shall see, Procopius will use Herodotean terminology (i.e., ἡ ἄνοδος, *et alii*) throughout his narrative of the Thermopylae region to create a gradually building tension between the need to defend mountain paths to the full scale fortification of undefended routes that are practically carriage-roads. The climax to this tension will come when Procopius discusses Justinian's fortification of the Herákleia region, the defense of its critical highway, and the κλεισοῦρα defended by the nearby stronghold of Myropóles. In short, Procopius' rhetorical agenda for *De aedificiis* 4.2.1–22 is not so much to praise Justinian's blanket building and restoration of frontier fortifications, but rather to commend the emperor for finally solving the Thermopylae frontier's defensive puzzle, by fortifying the primary invasion route that flanked it – the Dhéma Pass.

4.2.3: πρῶτα μὲν τὰ τεῖχη ἐς ὕψος^a αὐτῷ ἀνέστη μέγα. ἦν γάρ, εἴ τις προσίοι, εὐπετῶς ἀλωτὰ καὶ οὐ τετειχισμένα τὰ ὄρη, ἃ ταύτη^b ἀνέχει, ἀλλ'^c ἀποτετριγχωμένα ἐδόκει εἶναι.

ἀποτεθρικ WAHLER

POWELL, *Lexicon* s.v. ^a ἐς ὕψος, ^b [χώρη], ^c οὐ ... ἀλλὰ with elision.

So first he raised up the walls there [in the Thermopylae region] to a great height. For the mountains that rise in this region were easy to capture, if someone might attack them, they being not truly fortified, but seemed to be just the upper course of a wall.

³⁷ *Bella* 2.4.10: "In another invasion they [the Huns] plundered Illyricum and Thessaly and attempted to storm the wall at Thermopylae; and since the guards on the walls defended them most valiantly, they sought out the ways around and unexpectedly found the path which leads up the mountain which rises there. In this way they destroyed almost all the Greeks except the Peloponnesians, and then withdrew." H.B. DEWING, *Procopius I. History of the Wars*. London 1914, 289.

Precisely what Procopius meant by walls erected to “a great height” is purposely unclear. His descriptions of other fortifications with extant architectural remains reveal that:

(a) Procopius considered a settlement’s defensive wall at about 1.3 meters thick by 6.2 meters high as easily taken (*De aed.* 3.2.10) and he records that it was subsequently strengthened to about 3.7 meters thick by 12.4 meters high (*De aed.* 3.2.11–13);

(b) The pre-Justinianic walls at Dura Europa that measured some 18 meters high were considered as being of “great height” (*Bella* 2.13.17), but were rebuilt on an even grander scale to 27.7 meters (*De aed.* 2.1.16);³⁸ and,

(c) Modern investigations in the Thermopylae region have uncovered irregular rubble and mortar walls between 2.5 to 3.0 meters thick,³⁹ about 3.1 meters thick by 6.2 meters in preserved height,⁴⁰ approximately 2.0 meters thick,⁴¹ between 1.4 to 3.2 meters thick and about 3.0 meters in height,⁴² around 6.0 meters of preserved height,⁴³ and within the Dhéma Pass: Wall A – 1.10 to 1.5 meters thick by 2 meters high; Wall B – 1.10 to 2 meters thick by 1.6 meters high; Wall C – 1.8 to 2.5 meters thick by 2.7 meters high; and Wall D – 2.1 meters thick by 1.7 meters high.⁴⁴

One might conclude from this architectural data that wall heights within the Thermopylae region, which are generally from 2 to 3 meters thick, could be estimated as being from 8 to 10 meters tall. However, on the basis of the preserved remains along the Oíte-Kallídromos frontier barrier, no assessment is possible of any Justinianic repairs or additions to their upper courses as they are not preserved. Whether these walls

³⁸ CROKE/CROW, *JRS* 73 (1983) 155. D. CLAUDE, *Die byzantinische Stadt im 6. Jahrhundert*. Munich 1969, 24–25 considers the height of Dura Europa’s walls as exceptional and the height of Nikaia’s at 9 meters as more the usual.

³⁹ W. PRITCHETT, *New Light on Thermopylai*. *AJA* 62 (1958) 210. Personal autopsy, springs 1987, 1988.

⁴⁰ W. PRITCHETT, *Studies in Ancient Greek Topography*, Part II. Berkeley 1969, 79. Personal autopsy, springs 1987, 1988.

⁴¹ P. A. M., *Procopius’ De Aedificiis and the Topography of Thermopylae*, *AJA* 67 (1963) 247. Personal autopsy, springs 1987, 1988.

⁴² KODER/HILD, *Hellas und Thessalia* (as footnote 18 above) 274. Personal autopsy, springs 1987, 1988.

⁴³ P. A. MAC KAY, *Procopius’ De Aedificiis and the topography of Thermopylae*. *AJA* 67 (1963) 252. Personal autopsy, springs 1987, 1988.

⁴⁴ W. J. CHERF, *Dhema*, *GICR* 56–57. Personal autopsy, summers 1976, 1980; springs 1987, 1988.

should be considered “great in height” of course depends upon their application and locality,⁴⁵ but in comparison with the walls of Dura Europa and Nikaia they appear to be of an average height. Thus, one might be tempted to conclude that here is an example of Procopius exercising his rhetorical muscle within the framework of an imperial commission.

The subsequent statement, “Seemed to be just the upper course of a wall,” might be explained by walls that were in such inaccessible and elevated areas that from the viewer’s perspective they appeared as mere wall cornices. Pierre MacKay, who believes that Procopius’ account is indeed one of personal autopsy, sees in this instance that Procopius was describing the walls high above the Sástani Ravine located at Muntzmeno.⁴⁶ On the other hand, it could just as well be another example of Procopius using these words to merely belittle the work of former emperors in order to highlight Justinian’s efforts whether real or otherwise.

4.2.4: οἷς δὴ καὶ διπλᾶς τὰς ἐπάλλξεις ἐντέθειται πάσας. κατὰ ταῦτὰ δὲ κᾶν τῷ φρουρίῳ ἐξείργασται, ὅπερ ἐνταῦθα ἐκ παλαιοῦ ἦν παρέργως οὕτω πεποιημένον τοῖς πάλαι ἀνθρώποις.

ταῦτὰ BRAUN. ταῦτα V

And he put upon all these walls double battlements. And in the same way he brought to completion improvements to the fort, which from ancient times had stood there poorly built by the ancients.

Note the clumsily formed phrase, κατὰ ταῦτὰ δὲ κᾶν, with the particle δὲ in third position and the rare poetic use of double crasis: ταῦτὰ for τὰ αὐτά and κᾶν for καὶ ἐν. It is possible that this passage was meant to be read and thus had elements in it that were aurally clever and pleasing to the listener.⁴⁷

⁴⁵ These figures represent averages of the extant wall remains in this region. In addition, there seems to be a perceivable ratio of wall thickness to wall height of approximately 1:4. An important consideration is that these walls were built in mountainous terrain and were for the most part not the easily assailable walls of a settlement situated in an open plain.

⁴⁶ MACKAY, Procopius' *De Aedificiis* (as footnote 43 above) 252.

⁴⁷ In antiquity, there was a tradition of reading finished, or even working drafts of, literary works. Given Thermopylae's well-known reputation it would have made a fitting and timely oration. G. DOWNEY, Notes on Procopius, *De Aedificiis*, Book I. in G. Mylonas/D. Raymond (eds.), *Studies Presented to David Moore Robinson*. St. Louis 1953, II 719–725, has already argued that the first book of

Precisely what Procopius meant by “double battlements” (διπλᾶς τὰς ἐπάλξεις) in this passage can only be determined by inference through his previous use of this phrase: (a) in his description of the fortifications at Dura Europa (*De aed.* 2.1.15–16),⁴⁸ in which a very sophisticated fortification wall with two battlement levels was constructed one atop the other; and (b), the Justinianic long wall across the Isthmus of the Chersonese (*De aed.* 4.10.13), where the battlements were roofed over with a colonnaded stoa, above which a second level with breastworks was constructed. This description, therefore, suggests that at a minimum some of the barrier walls in the Thermopylae frontier could have been defended from two levels. Unfortunately, nowhere can the preserved remains support such an assertion.

A frontier fort (τό φρούριον) can be defined as a permanent fortified enclosure or rural settlement built specifically to house a garrison (ἡ φυλακτήρια). Such installations typically were situated atop an eminence in a locality of actual or potential danger.⁴⁹ As to which frontier fort Procopius is here referring there are several candidates in the Thermopylai region that could satisfy this all too generalized description, but later on *De aed.* 4.2.6 will provide our best clue as to which fort Procopius might have been referring to.

4.2.5: διαρκές τε γὰρ αὐτῷ ὕψος^a ἐντέθεικε καὶ διπλοῦς τοῦς προμαχῶνας^b πεποίηται.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s.v. ^a τὸ ὕψος, ^b Hdt. 1.164.1: προμαχεῶνα ἕνα μόνον τοῦ τείχεος.

For he built it up to quite a sufficient height and made the ramparts double.

Compare with the discussion of 4.2.4 above.

4.2.6: πρὸς ἐπὶ τούτοις δὲ καὶ ἀνύδρῳ παντάπασιν^a ὅντι ταμειῶν ὑετίων ὑδάτων ἐπετεχνήσατο.^b

ὑετίων MALTRETUS. ὑετείων V

POWELL, *Lexicon* s.v. ^a παντάπασιν(ν), ^b ἐπιτεχνάομαι.

the *De aedificiis* was written as a literary show piece or panegyric that was presented orally before the emperor and the court and the length of the chapter, about 10,000 words, was appropriate.

⁴⁸ See DEWING/DOWNEY, Procopius. VII. The Buildings 104–105, for several illustrations of the multi-leveled and towered fortification walls at Syrian Rusafa.

⁴⁹ A. LAWRENCE, *Greek Aims in Fortification*. Oxford 1979, 126, 137, 159.

And in addition to this, as the place was entirely waterless, he devised a reservoir for rainwater.

This frontier fort (τό φρούριον) is most probably to be equated with the fortifications of the Dhamásta Complex with its water fountain and roofed, plaster-lined cistern.⁵⁰ MacKay, however, prefers to locate this fortress at the site of Muntzmeno,⁵¹ but a cistern has yet to be found at that site.

4.2.7: ἔπειτα δὲ καὶ ἀνόδους^a πολλὰς ἀφυλάκτους τε καὶ ἀτειχίστους τὰ πρότερα οὖσας ἐς τὸ ἀκριβὲς ἐτειχίσατο.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s. v. ^a ἡ ἀνόδος.

And furthermore, he conscientiously fortified many ascending inland routes, which previously had been both unguarded and unwallled.

With these words, the tension of Procopius's rhetorical agenda for the treatment of the Thermopylae region begins to heighten. He again alludes to the many undefended "ascending routes" using the appropriate Herodotean terminology (ἡ ἄνοδος), which with the benefit of Justinian's tactical wisdom were fortified, but apparently not all of them – hence the delimiting qualifier "many" (πολλὰς). Modern topographical investigations throughout this mountainous region constantly report the new discovery of remains subsequent to the denuding of the area as the result of endemic forest fires, and conversely, the "disappearance" of remains due to the growth of thick and dense vegetation.⁵²

4.2.8: θαυμάσειεν ἂν τις εἰκότως τὸν Περσῶν βασιλέα, ὅτι δὴ χρόνον ἐνταῦθα κατατρίψας πολύν,^a μίαν τινὰ στενὴν^b ἀτραπὸν^c ἔυρατο, καὶ ταῦτα προδοτῶν^d Ἑλλήνων τυχόν, ὁδῶν^e τε ἀτειχίστων ἐκείνῃ πολλῶν καὶ ἀμαξιτῶν^f σχεδόν τι οὐσῶν.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s. v. ^a cf., Hdt. 7.213.1: Ἀπορέοντες δὲ βασιλέος ὅτι χρήσιται τῷ παρεόντι πρήγματι, ^b τὸ στενόν, ^c ἡ ἀτραπός, ^d cf., Hdt. 8.30.2: ἥλλ' οὐκ

⁵⁰ MACKAY, Procopius' *De Aedificiis* (as footnote 43 above) 247. Personal autopsy, summer 1977. Here Procopius mentions his second favorite discussion topic: water supply, so CAMERON, Procopius 86.

⁵¹ MACKAY, *ibid.*, 246. Personal autopsy, springs 1987, 1988.

⁵² During the springs of 1987 and 1988, the author found no less than three previously unreported barrier walls that blocked passages through the Thermopylae frontier. During that same period, the published remains of the Dhamásta Complex had seemingly "disappeared" within the region's dense vegetation, even though the very same remains were visited during the summer of 1977!

ἔσεσθαι ἕντες εἶναι προδότης τῆς Ἑλλάδος, ^e ἡ ὁδός, ^f cf., Hdt. 7.176.2: ἐοῦσα ἀμαξίτος μούνη.

One might wonder with good reason the Persian King, who spent so much time there finding only a single narrow path, and that too with the luck of Grecian traitors, when there are many unfortified roads there, which are nearly roads one wagon-wide.

This reference to the events of the late summer of 480 B.C. by King Xerxes of Persia (Hdt. 7.213–218) is intriguing. Rhetorically, it provides a perfect opportunity for Procopius to draw a favorable comparison between a perplexed Xerxes, the King of Kings of the Persian Empire, and the enlightened defender of the late Roman Empire, Justinian. On the other hand, Procopius' mention that there was more than one traitor tied to that heroic Panhellenic cause shows that he was a careful reader of Herodotus (Hdt. 7.214).

Procopius' use of subtle and clever shadings in Herodotean vocabulary is in evidence: for example, the first appearance of the term mountain path (ἡ ἀτραπός), and then its further delimitation as a "narrow mountain path" (ἡ στενὸς ἀτραπός); the nearly "one wagon-wide roads" (ἡ ἀμάξιτος [ὁδός]); and in *De aedificiis* 4.2.9, Procopius' first mention of the "highway" (ἡ ὁδός). By using these terms, Procopius is following his rhetorical agenda by building up an ever-escalating series of comparisons in order to achieve a climax, which he will unveil in *De aedificiis* 4.2.9.⁵³

Furthermore his stylistic parallel, that contrasts Xerxes' discovery of only one narrow mountain path (μίαν στενὴν ἀτραπὸν)⁵⁴ with the "many

⁵³ With the use of the term 'highway', Procopius implies a wide, artificially surfaced, roadbed, at least two wagons wide that would allow for opposing traffic. Cf., *Bella* 2.1.7, where the Latin [*via*] *strata* is equated with the Greek "an artificially leveled road" (ἡ ἐστρωμένη ὁδός); *Bella* 5.14.6, where Procopius describes the paved Via Appia (Ἀππία ὁδός) as a "highway" between Rome and Capua wide enough to allow two wagons to pass. Farther on in this same passage (*Bella* 5.14.6–11) he carefully describes its construction and pavement (tightly fitting polygonal paving blocks). The pavement of Byzantine wagon-roads have been recorded at 4 to 5 meters wide, so P. SALAMA, *Les Voies Romaines de l'Afrique du nord*. Algeria 1951, 68 and R. FORBES, *Notes on the History of Ancient Roads and their Construction*. Amsterdam 1934, 141. This would easily allow for the passage of two carts about 1.45 m. wide. That this same term "highway" connoted a busy transit or invasion route, see *Bella* 8.25.4.

⁵⁴ On Procopius' "single narrow path" that could outflank Thermopylai, see his account of the Hunnic raid of 539/540 that detoured around Thermopylai, *Bella* 2.4.10. The marked similarity between these two passages to those of Herodotus (7.213, 216, 217), Appian (*Syrian Wars* 11.4.18), and Pausanias (10.20.1, 10.22.1,

unfortified roads” (ὁδῶν ἀτειχίστων ... πολλῶν) that are “roads one-wagon wide” ([ὁδῶν] ἁμαξιτῶν) which bedeviled Justinian’s military strategists and architectural engineers, has two purposes. First, Procopius wished to underline Justinian’s concern for the defense of the Thermopylae region and his desire to improve on those defenses as no one previously had. And second, Procopius alerts the reader not only to his command of the technical vocabulary (mountain paths, ascending routes, roads one-wagon wide, and wide, artificially surfaced roads), but also to prepare the reader for his later description of the principal highway that ran through the κλεισούρα near Myropóles in the region of Herákleia (*De aed.* 4.2.17–22).

4.2.9: ἥ τε γὰρ θάλασσα τοὺς πρόποδας ἐπικλύζουσα τῶν ὀρῶν, ἀνεστομωμένας ἐκ τοῦ ἐπὶ πλεῖστον ἐποιεῖτο εἶναι τὰς ἐνθένδε ἀνόδους,^a καὶ σιηράγγων τε καὶ χαραδρῶν^b ἀδιεξόδων ἐνταῦθα οὐσῶν, ἀμήχανα ἔδοξεν εἶναι τοῖς πάλαι ἀνθρώποις τειχίσμασιν ἐς τὸ ἀκριβὲς περιβαλέσθαι τὰ διηρημένα τῇ φύσει, τῇ τε πρὸς τὰ χαλεπώτατα τῶν ἔργων ὀκνήσει ἀταλαίπωρον ἀφέμενοι τὴν ἀσφάλειαν ἐπὶ τῇ τύχῃ κατέλιπον, ἐς τὴν ἐσομένην βαρβάρους τῆς ὁδοῦ^c ἄγνοιαν ἀποθέμενοι τὰς τῆς σωτηρίας ἐλπίδας.

ἀταλαίπωρον V. ἀταλαιπώρων MALTRETUS

POWELL, *Lexicon* s. v. ^a ἡ ἄνοδος, ^b cf., Hdt. 9.102.1: κατὰ τε χαράδραν, ^c ὁ ὁδός.

For the sea, swamping the low spurs of the mountains, continually made new ascending routes at this point; and since caves and impassable ravines abound there, it seemed to the ancients impossible to fortify with walls the openings, which had been made by nature. And on account of their reluctance to undertake a most difficult task, they carelessly abandoned their safety to chance, basing their hope of salvation on the assumption that the barbarians would be ignorant of the highway.

Procopius’ use of the word πρόποδας, from πρόπους, the “projecting foot” of a mountain, supports the thesis that the highway about which the barbarians had to be ignorant must have ran along a ridge situated in an upland setting. Thus Procopius’ allusion to such a highway could not refer to the low elevation coastal road that ran south from Lamia through Thermopylae and on into Eastern Lokris.⁵⁵ Instead, the

8, 10–11) may infer his use of a literary lexicon. A. BURN, *Thermopylai Revisited and some Topographical Notes on Marathon and Plataiai*, in K. Kinzl (ed.), *Greece and the Eastern Mediterranean*. Berlin 1977, 100, concluded that this “narrow path” must be an off-hand reference to the Anopaia Path across the Kallídhromos Range.

⁵⁵ K. MILLER, *Itineraria Romana. Römische Reisewege an der Hand der Tabula Peutingeriana*. Stuttgart 1929, route 80 B, 573–578.

highway that Procopius describes here must have ran south above the swampy coastal plain along the elevated contours of the western rim of the Malian Basin to some point that allowed easy passage through the Thermopylae frontier into Central Greece.⁵⁶ His then immediate use of ἐπικλύζουσα, “to swamp or overflow,” describes precisely the ever-fluctuating terrain characteristics of the Malian Plain. Such a broad geological statement, in this context, has everything to do with Thermopylae “the region” rather than Thermopylae “the pass”, which by late Roman times had become, in the broad scheme of things, only a minor terrain feature. Procopius’ emphasis of this highway continues his rhetorical agenda of ever-building tension, which was first alluded to in 4.2.2 and 4.2.8, and is later to be connected with the κλεισούρα of the Herákleia region in 4.2.17.

The ever-changing topography of the frontier’s coastline due to continuous erosion, deposition, subsidence, and tectonic events,⁵⁷ and the inability “of the ancients” (τοῖς πάλαι ἀνθρώποις) to cope with them, set up the rhetorical parallel that Justinian’s engineers were able to

⁵⁶ Such an upland route typically ascends and descends by using gentle gradients and by following the natural topographical contours. Once at elevation, an upland route would run either just below the ridge itself, or across upland flats. Any traffic along such an upland route would remain unobserved from the lower elevations, while the sunny and panoramic view from the ridge route would lessen the dangers of deep winter snow accumulation and of ambush. Furthermore, upland routes can more easily, than lower elevation roadbeds, avoid water courses, bridging problems, erosional hazards, valuable farm land, malarial marshlands, and large urban areas. The course of the principal roadbed that leads south from Lamia to the Dhéma Pass and the road system of the Isthmus Corridor Route follows just such an upland route along the western foothills of Mt. Oíte, as noted by BURN, *Thermopylai Revisited* (as footnote 54 above) 98–99 and KASE, *GICR* 21–25.

⁵⁷ A. PHILIPPSON/E. KIRSTEN, *Die griechischen Landschaften. I. Der Nordosten der griechischen Halbinsel. 1. Thessalien und die Spercheios-Senke*. Frankfurt am Main 1950, 235: earthquakes in the southern Malian Basin tend to trend along the Aedipsos-Thermopylai-Hypata fault-line, and they tend to produce devastating tsunami effects. On the tsunami earthquake of 427/426 B.C. and A.D. 551 that devastated the Malian Basin, see: Thuc. 2.87, 89; Diod. 12.59; Strab. 1.3.30 C 60; and Proc. 8.25.16–23. See also: C. NEUMANN/J. PARTSCH, *Physikalische Geographie von Griechenland mit besonderer Rücksicht auf das Altertum*. Breslau 1885, 321–322; F. STÄHLIN, *Das hellenische Thessalien*. Stuttgart 1924, 198; and PHILIPPSON/KIRSTEN, as above, 205. The forces behind the continuous modification of the Malian Gulf’s southern coastline has been lucidly described by J.C. KRAFT/G. RAPP/G.J. SZEMLER/C. TZIAVOS/E.W. KASE, *The Pass at Thermopylae, Greece. Journal of Field Archaeology* 14 (1987) 181–198, and J.C. KRAFT, *Geology of the Great Isthmus Corridor*, *GICR* 1–16.

solve by walling off many of the ravines and accesses through the Thermopylae frontier. Further, his depreciating assertion that “the ancients” were not capable to complete the fortification of that frontier is the stuff of pure rhetoric designed to belittle those of former times and highlight the pure genius of Justinian’s solution for the region.

4.2.10: ἐπεὶ πρὸς τὴν ταλαιπωρίαν^a ἀπολέγοντες αἰεὶ ἄνθρωποι, τὰ σφίσιν αὐτοῖς δυσκολώτατα δόξαντα εἶναι οὐδὲ ἄλλοις τισὶν οἶονται ῥάδια ἔσεσθαι.

POWELL, Lexicon s.v.^a ταλαίπωρος, ov.

For men who avoid hard work, they imagine that what has seemed very difficult to them will not be easy for others.

This is another instance of Procopian rhetorical padding designed to belittle the abilities those of former times and emphasize Justinian’s herculean labors in the region. As the physical remains attest and radiocarbon data show, Justinian’s engineering corps did not build *de novo* the principal fortifications of the region, specifically: the Dhéma Fortification Complex, the fortified mount of Heráklea, the Fylakí complex, the Dhamásta complex, the Muntzméno complex, the Long Wall of the Middle Gate, and the Long Wall of the East Gate. Instead, the foundations and lower courses of all these structures are pre-sixth century in date and specifically relate to the first quarter of the fifth century during the reign of the Emperor Theodosius II.⁵⁸

⁵⁸ The construction of the Thermopylae frontier barrier’s fortifications that extended across its 15 km width most likely occurred between 401/402 (on the basis of *IG* VII 24) and 443 (*CJ* 1.31.4). Consistent rubble and mortar construction styles, brick sizes, brick marks, and mortar composition all suggest the industry of an imperial *Baubattalion*. The ¹⁴carbon data indicate a tight, contemporaneous grouping for all the remains sampled, all of which are pre-sixth century in date. W.J. CHERF, Carbon-14 Chronology for the late-Roman Thermopylai Frontier. *Journal of Roman Archaeology* 5 (1992) 261–264. Table A: Radiocarbon Data. (Note: Drying rates for wall cores can take up to 5–10 years to thoroughly set. Therefore, a wall’s construction date can appear to be 5–10 years more recent.) Such a chronological assessment requires context and fits well within the climate following Alaric’s raid of the Balkans and occupation of Greece from 395–398, the impetus which T.E. Gregory points to for the construction of the Hexamilion at the Corinthian Isthmus, so T.E. GREGORY, Kastro and Diateichisma as Responses to Early Byzantine Frontier Collapse. *Byzantion* 62 (1992) 242, 243–244; and Id., Hexamilion and the Fortress, vii, 6, 141, 142–143.

4.2.11: διὸ δὴ οὐκ ἄν τις ἔτι φιλονεικοίη μὴ οὐχὶ ἀνθρώπων ἀπάντων, οἳ δὴ ἐς τὸν πάντα αἰῶνα γεγέννηται, Ἰουστινιανὸν βασιλέα προμηθέστατον γεγενῆσθαι καὶ διαφερόντως ἐπιμελέστατον,^a ὃ γε οὐδὲ θάλασσα χαλεπὴ^b γέγονε, γειτνιώσά τε τοῖς ὄρεσι καὶ περιχέομένη καὶ ἐπικλύζουσα, ἐν κλυδωνίῳ τε καὶ ψάμμῳ ὑγρῷ^c τοῖς θεμελίοις στηρίζεσθαι, καὶ τοῖς ἐναντιωτάτοις διαφανῶς ἐναρμόζεσθαι, ἀνθρώπων τε προσχωρεῖν τέχνη^d καὶ βιαζομένοις ὑπέικειν.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s. v. ^a ἐπιμελής, ^b χαλεπός, ^c ὑγρός, ^d ἄ, ὄν, ^d ἡ τέχνη.

So no man will any longer dispute the assertion that the Emperor Justinian has shown himself most provident and most exceptionally careful as compared with all other men who have ever lived, seeing that even the sea, though it comes close to the mountains and flows around and swamps against them, has not proved an obstacle sufficient to prevent the foundations from being securely laid in the middle of the surging water and on the wet sand, or to forestall the most striking union of the most opposite elements, which are thus forced to yield to man's skill and to bow to his superior power.

If accurate, this passage contains an important observation on the paleoenvironmental conditions of the Malian Basin in the mid-sixth century. On the basis of it, the formation of the beach line along the base of the Thermopylae frontier had not progressed much beyond 50 meters wide.⁵⁹

After this bombastic eulogy of the Emperor Justinian's wisdom and conscientiousness, Procopius then describes how Justinian's engineering corps even defied Nature itself by laying the foundations of a defensive long wall in the gulf's shallows and shifting beach sands of the region. Unfortunately, the remains of that sea wall's curtain and towers, first investigated by Y. Béquignon, are today nowhere to be found, all victims to road widening projects and modern cultivation.⁶⁰ What can be seen

⁵⁹ On the basis of the geological core-boring data, see G.J. SZEMLER/W.J. CHERF/J. KRAFT, *Thermopylai. Myth and Reality in 480 B.C.* Chicago 1996, 9–19. Such an assessment compares favorably with the late fourth century report of Eunapius of Sardis, who described the passage of Alaric in 395 through the Thermopylae Pass as if traversing an open stadium or broad cavalry plain. Eunapius, *Vitae Soph.* 7.3.3: ὁ [τε] Ἀλλάρικος ἔχων τοὺς βαρβάρους διὰ τῶν Πυλῶν παρήλθεν, ὥσπερ διὰ σταδίου καὶ ἵπποκρότου πεδίου τρέχων.

⁶⁰ A cursory archaeological investigation made on this sea wall was first made by Y. BÉQUIGNON during the early 1930 s (*Recherches archéologiques dans la vallée du Spercheios. Revue archéologique* 4 [1934] 16–33). Precisely where in the plain Béquignon dug his trench is not clear, except that “un sondage, exécuté dans la partie du mur qui surplombait la route.” I understand that statement to mean that Béquignon excavated on the south side of the then modern coastal road. He then states that he could make out the remains of the sea wall's end tower that

today of the East Gate Long Wall, a meandering upland structure of cement, brick and rubble, in all some 1800 meters or more in length, are contemporary in date with the other frontier remains along the Thermopylae frontier, namely being founded during the administration of the Emperor Theodosius II (408–450).⁶¹

4.2.12: οὐ μέντοι οὐδὲ τάς τε λόχμας καὶ νάπας ἀλλήλαις^a ἀνάψας, οὐδὲ τὴν θάλασσαν τῷ ὄρει ἐναρμολογῶντος ὁ βασιλεὺς οὗτος, ὅλην τε τὴν Ἑλλάδα περιβαλὼν τοῖς ὀχυρώμασι, κατέπαυσε τὴν ὑπὲρ τῶν κατηκόνων σπουδὴν, ἀλλὰ^b καὶ φρούρια πολλὰ τοῦ τείχους ἐντός ἐτεκμήνατο, ἄξια τύχης τῆς ἀνθρωπείας βεβουλευμένους ἢ βέβαιον οὐδὲν οὐδὲ ἀκαταγώνιστον γίνεται.

μέντοι V. μέν του A; ἀνάψας V. ἐνάψας A; Περιβαλὼν τὴν ἑλλάδα A. ἐντός τοῦ τείχους A. βέβαιον A; βέβαιον γὰρ V.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s.v. ^a ἀλλήλους, ας, α, ^b οὐ ... ἀλλά.

Even after joining the forests and the glens to each other, and the sea to the mountains, this Emperor [Justinian], surrounding the whole of Greece with strongholds, did not stop his zeal for his subjects, but he also constructed many forts inside the wall, planning for all the contingencies, which sway man's fortune, wherein nothing is fixed or unconquerable.

Procopius clearly wished to depict the Thermopylae region as being practically walled from ravine to ravine, mountain to sea, in a continuous manner.⁶² An unsophisticated invader, ignorant of siege warfare, when confronted with such an all inclusive defensive system of sea walls, barrier walls, forts, and strongholds would in essence be faced

had been destroyed when the modern coastal road was built, also apparently on the southern side of the roadbed.

⁶¹ Indeed some renovation and repair may have been necessary in the area following the seaquake and tsunami disaster of 551/552 to the Malian Basin (*Bella* 8.25.16–23), but probably would be more appropriate for those lower elevation frontier structures found either on or near the coastline of the Thermopylae region and in specific to the coastal portions of the East Gate Long Wall. *Bella* 8.25.16–23. This possibility of course hangs upon when the *De aedificiis* was completed, which is a subject very much in doubt. So CAMERON Procopius 8–12, and *id.*, Conclusion, *Antiquité Tardive* 8 (2000) 178: “There remain differing views as to the likely date of the Buildings, either 554/5, 559/60 or 560/61; despite the efforts of scholars, therefore, it has to be said that there is still no consensus.”

⁶² See MACKAY, Procopius' *De Aedificiis* (as footnote 43 above) 248 and PRITCHETT, *New Light* (as footnote 39 above) 210 note 64, both record a local legend that speaks of a fantastic and continuous length of the wall that ran throughout the Thermopylae region.

by a defensive cul-de-sac with nowhere to go except retreat, or, at least that was the expectation of the defensive theory.

This passage is a prelude to Procopius' later description of all the forts and strongholds (*De aed.* 4.2.23–26) that were located “inside” (ἐντός) in the sense of south of the Thermopylai region.⁶³

4.2.13: ὥστε εἰ τοῖς τείχεσι τούτοις τρόπῳ ὀτῶσιν ἢ χρόνῳ ἀλῶναι ξυμβαίη, ἐν τοῖς φρουρίοις τὰ φυλακτήρια διασώζοιτο.

ξυμβαίη V. ξυμβαίνει A; διασώζοιτο V. διασώζονται A.

So if these walls in any way or at any time happened to be captured, the garrisons might still be maintained in their forts.

So is best encapsulated the dogma of late Roman frontier defense-in-depth; stall and frustrate; if overrun, channel the incursion and survive in order to harry the enemy's rear; ambush or deny access to any logistical support. Key to this passage is Procopius' choice of words, τὰ φυλακτήρια. The use of this term for “garrison” implies professional soldiers. Compare this with Procopius' use of the more colorful term ἀγροῖκοι, “country bumpkins,” that he would later use to describe the former defenders in 4.2.15 below.

4.2.14: καὶ μὴν καὶ σιτῶνας ἐν τῷ ἀσφαλεῖ καὶ ὑδάτων ἔλντρα πανταχόθι πεποιήται, στρατιώτας τε φρουροὺς ἐς δισχιλίους μάλιστα^a τῇδε ἰδρύσατο. ὃ οὐδὲ τις τῶν πρώην βασιλέων πώποτε ἐκ τοῦ παντὸς χρόνου πεποίηκεν.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s. v. ^a μάλιστα.

And furthermore, he established granaries in safe places and reservoirs of water everywhere, and stationed there approximately two thousand soldiers as guards. A thing that not one of the former emperors had done in all time.

The only evidence that exists for the establishment of an imperial granary in the Malian area that could lend support to the garrison stationed along the Thermopylae frontier is an inscription that dates from the second half of the reign of the Emperor Arcadius (383–408).⁶⁴

⁶³ Surely the extensive late Hellenistic through late Roman site of Kouvéla and its acropolis of Kástro tēs Oriás would be so included, so W. CHERF, *The History of the Isthmus Corridor during the Roman Period: The First through the Mid-Sixth Centuries A.D.*, *GICR* 137, 142 and Table 11–1.

⁶⁴ *IG* VII 24 = *Syll*³ 908. Dated to the period 1 September 401/31 August 402 and constructed under the supervision of the Achaian proconsul Claudius Varius (*PLRE* II s.v. 1). The granary's stores originated as taxes levied in kind. The granary was managed by an ὀρεοπραιποσίτια or *horreorum praepositus*, who

In it is described the establishment of an imperial granary at nearby Scarpheia and another one farther south near the province's capital city of Corinth, both to be supplied by the enumerated cities of Euboia, Central Greece, and the Peloponnesus. This establishment of an imperial granary at the northern frontier of Achaia represented the opening gambit of the early fifth century imperial strategic plan of defense-in-depth that would first construct and then maintain a self-sustaining military frontier within the Empire itself.

The remains of water cisterns and reservoirs have been found and are associated with the Dhamásta Complex, the city of Herákleia, and the extensive ruins atop Kástro tês Horías where the author has seen two fine examples.⁶⁵

Probably as a direct result of the disastrous Hunnic raid of 539/540 that descended upon Greece (*Bella* 2.4.10), we are told in Procopius' *Anecdota* that the imperial *logothete*, Alexander "Psalidios",⁶⁶ was dispatched to strengthen and reorganize the defensive line along the Thermopylae frontier. Those reforms included: (a) that the former sedentary and hereditary frontier forces (ἀγροίκων τε τῶν ἐπιχωρίων τινές; cf., 4.2.15 below) were replaced with 2000 regular troops (στρατιῶται),⁶⁷ and (b), that the financial burden for the maintenance of these forces, the construction and restoration of the frontier's fortifications, were to be shouldered by the cities of Greece and not by the imperial treasury.⁶⁸

was usually appointed from the provincial governor's staff (*CTh* 12.6.5 [A.D. 365]). Staples stockpiled at an imperial granary would include wheat, barley, wine, and olive oil. Crafted staples would include leather goods, textiles, and pots.

⁶⁵ Personal autopsy, summer 1977. To assign a construction date to these cisterns and reservoirs would be nothing short of sheer guess work. Radiocarbon dating of any extant lime mortars and plasters and the examination of associated ceramic evidence are required before such an assessment could be hazarded.

⁶⁶ Alexander's nickname that could be translated roughly as "the Scissors" or "the Snips", and thus by contextual association "the Chiseler" or "the Cheat", is derived from the verb ψαλίζω, "to clip with scissors," the diminutive form, ψαλίδιον, which was a clipping or paring tool typically used to trim the edges of ancient coinage. Cf. *Bella* 7.1.28–30. On the career of Alexander himself, see STÄHLIN, Thermopylen (as footnote 30 above) 2422,44 and Alexander 5, *PLRE* IIIA 43–44.

⁶⁷ *Anec.* 26.31–33. Such replacement troops presumably were better trained, more reliable, and better coordinated in their movements than the hereditary and sedentary border troops.

⁶⁸ So *Anec.* 26.33: "So he stationed troops there to the number of two thousand and ordained that their pay should not be provided from the imperial treasury,

4.2.15: ἀφύλακτα γὰρ τὸ παράπαν τὰ τείχη ταῦτα ἄνωθεν τε καὶ ἐς ἐμὶ ἦν, ἀγροίκων τε τῶν ἐπιχωρίων τινὲς τῶν πολέμιων καταθεόντων μεθαρμοσάμενοι τὴν δίαίταν ἐν τῷ παραντίκῃ, ἐπὶ καιροῦ τε αὐτοσχεδιάζοντες τὰ πολέμια, ἐκ περιτροπῆς^a ἐνταῦθα ἐφρούρουν, ἀλώσιμοί τε τοῖς πολέμοις ἀπειρία τοῦ ἔργου ῥῆστα ξὺν τῇ Ἑλλάδι ἐγίνοντο, ταύτῃ τε τῇ συμκρολογία ἢ χώρα ἐπὶ μακρότατον^b ἀπέκειτο ἐπιούσι βαρβάρους.

POWELL, Lexicon s. v. ^a ἡ περιτροπῇ, ^b ἐπὶ μακρός, α., ον.

For these walls were totally unguarded from early times even to my day. And when the enemy came down, some local peasants would immediately change their way of life, becoming temporary soldiers for the time, would keep guard there in turn; and because of their inexperience they, together with Greece itself, proved an easy mark for the enemy, and on account of this stinginess the whole length of the country lay open to the oncoming barbarians.

Procopius derisively describes the replaced frontier troops (ἀγροίκων τε τῶν ἐπιχωρίων τινὲς) of the Thermopylae frontier as not being soldiers, but mere country-bumpkins (ἀγροίκοι), who poorly defended their neighborhoods in times of peril. This is the reckless banter of commissioned rhetoric at its best.⁶⁹ Both ancient and hence modern opinion on the general reputation of frontier troops have not been charitable.⁷⁰ For example, a citation from the *Codex Theodosianus*

but instead he transferred to the treasury the entire civic funds and the funds for the spectacles of all the cities of Greece, and the pretext that these soldiers were to be maintained therefrom, and consequently in all Greece, and not least in Athens itself, no public building was restored nor could any other needful thing be done.” H. B. DEWING, *Procopius. VI. The Anecdota or Secret History*. London 1935, 315. The immediate unpopularity of Alexander and these reforms among the Greeks is colorfully narrated in the *Anec.* 26.29–34.

⁶⁹ Yet, Procopius describes the performance of these frontier troops during the Hunnic raid of 539/540 in *Bella* 2.4.10 quite differently. Admittedly, the literary tone of the *Bella* is decidedly more “objective” than the required “rhetoric” of the *De aedificiis*, where the frontier troops (described as φρουρῶν), “defended most valiantly” (καρτερώτατα ἀμυνομένων) the walls. This would not do with Procopius’ agenda for the *De aedificiis*. Then compare also how Procopius describes these very same individuals in his hyper-critical *Anecdota* (26.31.2) as farmers (γεωρβοῦντες), which implies a landowner: i.e., a skilled trade and established occupation. Clearly, somewhere between the rural country-bumpkins of the *De aedificiis*, valiant frontier guardsmen of the *Bella*, and noble farmers of the *Anecdota* the truth must lie.

⁷⁰ A. R. NEUMANN, *Limitanei*, *RE Suppl.* 11 (1968) 876–888. Frontier troops were often given land in return for their military service, so A. H. M. JONES, *The Later Roman Empire 284–602*. Norman 1964, I 608, 617, 653, 685; and G. OSTROGORSKY, *History of the Byzantine Empire*. Oxford 1968, 43. In time, the hereditary transfer of these parcels of land became dependent upon military

dated to the year 398 is downright pejorative,⁷¹ while the *Codex Justinianus* (4.65.35.1) “implies that as early as 530, Justinian did not consider them to be true soldiers”.⁷² The fact of the matter is far more complex, for any judgement on the fitness of frontier troops must also confront the issues of their duty post, leadership, morale, and local ecological conditions.⁷³ Only when this more complete picture is taken into account, can a reliability statement be made.⁷⁴

duty, which resulted in half-trained militias who were neither farmers nor soldiers, so R. MACMULLEN, *Soldier and Civilian in the Later Roman Empire*. Cambridge 1963, 13, 21, 22. E. STEIN, *Histoire du bas-empire. De la disparition de l'empire d'occident a la mort du Justinien (476–565)*. Paris 1959, II 86; S. ANDRZEJEWSKI, *Military Organization and Society*. London 1954, 34: “Normal economic activities cannot be reconciled with continuous military training except in the case of primitive hunters.” Compare these at best luke-warm assessments of the military fitness of the *limitanei* with that of: B. ISAAC, *The Meaning of the Terms Limes and Limitanei*. *JRS* 78 (1988) 143; ID., *The Limits of Empire. The Roman Army in the East*, 2nd ed. Oxford 1992, 208–209; W. TREADGOLD, *Byzantium and its Army: 284–1081*. Stanford 1995, 93, 161; M. WHITBY, *Recruitment in Roman Armies from Justinian to Heraclius (ca. 565–615)*, in A. Cameron (ed.), *The Byzantine and Early Islamic Near East*, Vol. III, *States, Resources and Armies*. Princeton 1995) 113–114; E.L. WHEELER, *The Laxity of Syrian Legions*, in J.H. Humphrey (ed.), *The Roman Near East II*. Portsmouth 1996, 229–276; A.D. LEE, *War in Late Antiquity. A Social History*. Oxford 2001, 10–11, 87. These scholars have argued that the *limitanei* deployed in the Near East were not second-rate soldiers tied to the soil, but rather multi-functional troops who were just as effective as the mobile armies.

⁷¹ *CTH* 7.14.1: “It is Our will that the same regulations shall be observed in the case of border fortress soldiers as Our statute commands in the case of mule drivers, and if any persons should dare, in Spain or in any place whatsoever, to solicit or to harbor border fortress troops, they shall be held liable in the same way.” C. PHARR, *The Theodosian Code and Novels and the Sirmundian Constitutions*. Princeton 1952, 173. Mule drivers were considered to be of the lowest class, as apparently, were the frontier troops.

⁷² So TREADGOLD, *Byzantium and its Army* (as footnote 70 above) 60, and A. KALDELLIS, *Procopius of Caesarea*. Philadelphia 2004, 225.

⁷³ Ecological conditions along the Thermopylae frontier in late Roman times provided a rich environment of essential resources that had a profitable, nutritional, and recreational value. While plentiful highland grazing opportunities may have proved adequate, good agricultural land was in short supply. Another very real challenge to the Thermopylae garrison was the region's endemic diseases, most notably several potential strains of malaria, the historically single, greatest killer of humans, along with ophthalmia, sand fly fevers, and dermal diseases. Other faunal health hazards included: lice, fleas, straw mites, bed bugs, black flies, black spiders, and black, brown and white scorpions. Finally, snakebite, specifically of the viper family, can outright kill. So

4.2.16: Οὕτω μὲν Ἰουστινιανὸς βασιλεὺς τὰ ἐν Θερμοπύλαις ἐρύματα ἐκρατύνατο. καὶ πόλεων δὲ ἀπασῶν, αἵπερ αὐτῶν ἐκτὸς τῇ χώρᾳ ἐξικανούσιν οὔσαι, ξὺν ἐπιτελείᾳ πολλῇ τεύχεα ὠκοδομήσατο ἰσχυρά, ἔν τε Σάκκῳ καὶ Ὑπάτῃ καὶ Κορακίοις καὶ Οὐννῳ καὶ Βαλέαις καὶ τῷ καλουμένῳ Λεονταρίῳ.

Θερμοπύλαις V. τῇ ἐλλάδι A.

So did the Emperor Justinian secure the defenses in the Thermopylai [region]. And of all the cities outside of the region, which are sufficiently numerous, he carefully built many strong walls, both at Sakkus, Hypata, Koracii, Ounnion, Baleae, and at Leontarium, as it is called.

With this statement, Procopius concludes his topographical and architectural description of the Thermopylai region proper. Clearly, on the basis of the above discussion and Procopius' mention of so many fortifications either built or restored, his description is that of a region, rather than that of the immediate neighborhood of the Thermopylai hot springs. Furthermore, at no time does he mention in this detailed discussion either the coastal road through the Thermopylai Pass, the location of the city of Herákleia, or its fortifications. For as will be shown below, these last two features were located outside and to the west of the Thermopylai region.⁷⁵ Thus, with the words "outside of the region" (ἐκτὸς τῇ χώρᾳ) Procopius commences his second geographical division of the Malian Basin.

This second division defines those cities "outside" (ἐκτός) of the Thermopylai region which are located in the southern-most extremes of late Roman Thessaly. Hierokles, a contemporary of Procopius, lists in his work the *Synekdemos* the following Thessalian cities of the Malian Basin: Echinus, Lamia, and Hypata.⁷⁶ Procopius mentions Thessalian Echinus only twice.⁷⁷ As to the other six cities of this passage, only the

W.J. CHERF, Geography and Topography: Valuable Sources for the History of a Late Roman Frontier. *The Ancient World* 26/1 (1995) 70–76.

⁷⁴ Implicit in this statement are the variety of challenges faced by frontier troops in different locales and the positive or negative effects upon their effectiveness. The assessments of ISAAC, WHITBY, WHEELER, and LEE noted above may be valid along the Near Eastern frontier. It would be rash, however, in this author's mind to paint that generalization across all frontiers.

⁷⁵ A position already enunciated by MACKAY, Procopius' De Aedificiis (as footnote 43 above) 249: "... Heraclea is treated by Procopius as already outside the region of Thermopylae proper."

⁷⁶ 642.5–7. See KODER/HILD, Hellas und Thessalia (as footnote 18 above) s.v. Echinus 152, Zetunion 283, and Neai Patrai 223, respectively.

⁷⁷ *De aed.* 4.3.5 and *Bella* 8.25.19, both times spelled Ἐχινάιος.

location of Hypata has been positively fixed; the rest remain unidentified.

What then might this list of toponyms represent? A fair guess would be that Procopius lifted them from a geographical list, or better, a highway itinerary as he has been suspected of doing elsewhere throughout this unfinished work.⁷⁸ If this is indeed the case, then these sites must be located along or near a highway that ran along the eastern foothills of Mt. Oíte to the northwest of the Thermopylai region. Since Hypata is the only known site, then the refurbished fortifications of Korakios,⁷⁹ Unnon,⁸⁰ Baleai,⁸¹ and Leontarion⁸² could well have

⁷⁸ Because of the northwestern location of Hypata and presumably of Sakkos as well, a list of fortifications situated in generally a north to south direction along the eastern foothills of Mt. Oíte is not beyond credulity. Consider that: (a) settlements do not exist in isolation; (b) overland communications usually take the form of well-traveled roads; (c) Justinian's engineering corps tended to fortify locations either near or alongside important arteries of communication in order to better defend the region from barbarian marauders; and (d) the majority of the fortified toponyms mentioned by Procopius lay along important military roads. The thesis that Procopius' lists of fortifications were derived from road itineraries, see BEŠEVILIEV, *Kastellnamen* (as footnote 8 above) 69, who concluded that many of Procopius' lists reflect Byzantine fortifications along highways. See also, V. BEŠEVILIEV, *Bermerkungen über die antiken Heerstraßen im Ostteil der Balkanhalbinsel*. *Klio* 5 (1969) 483–495.

⁷⁹ An unidentified ancient fortification. By virtue of its mention immediately after Hypata, its remains probably are to be sought to the east somewhere in the upland neighborhood of the modern villages of Kostaléxes and Phrantzés.

⁸⁰ An unknown fortification. A parallel may be derived from a Danubian settlement with the name Οὔννων (φρούριον) *De aed.* 4.6.33. BEŠEVILIEV, *Kastellnamen* (as footnote 8 above) 121 translates it as "the fort of the Huns" and equates the site's name with the settlement of Huns there following the collapse of their empire in 453. In our case, Unnon may have represented the location of the Hunnic campsite during the raid of 539/540 (*Bella* 2.4.10). If so, a plentiful water source would have been necessary and perhaps the modern village of Gorgopótamos was its location. The highway along the western foothills of Mt. Oíte from Lamia to the Dhéma Pass descended through Gorgopótamos in order to cross the river there via a single arched stone bridge with a road surface 3.2 m. wide, so KASE, *GICR* 22. Personal autopsy, summers 1975, 1976; springs 1987, 1988. Koder, *Hild Hellas und Thessalia* 280, locate this unidentified fortified settlement somewhere to the north on the basis of its location "outside" (ἐκτός) of Thermopylai.

⁸¹ An unknown fortification. Probably located to the south of Unnon along or near the upland road that ran along the western foothills of Mt. Oíte toward the Dhéma Pass. A site known locally as Monasteri consisting of a complex of building foundations has been located about 3 km south of Phrantzés and about

dotted the highway between it and the Dhéma Pass. Sakkos, if indeed Procopius has preserved the order of a road itinerary, may lie somewhere to the northeast of Hypata, perhaps on or near the bank of the Spercheios River.⁸³ A further indication that Procopius' description was proceeding geographically from a generally north-south direction,⁸⁴ the very next area mentioned is the region of Herákleia (4.2.17).

The only sixth century toponyms that Procopius mentioned in the Malian Basin near or along this highway from Central Thessaly were Lamia and Hypata.⁸⁵ The Hadrianic milestone connected with this highway records the distance of 31 Roman miles (*ca.* 46.5 km. or 25 miles) presumably between the Thessalian cities of Hypata and Pharsalos via the Phrouka Pass.⁸⁶ The location of the milestone found north of Hypata and south of the Spercheios River near the modern

1.5 km southeast of Gorgopótamos has been dated by late Roman and Byzantine pottery, so P. WALLACE/W. CHERF, *Description of Sites, GICR* 46–47, 137.

⁸² An unknown fortification. Leontarion's name may derive from the adjective λεόντιος, -α, -ον, "of a lion," thus, "the lion's fort." That it is a local name for Procopius, he used the formula, καὶ τῷ καλουμένῳ, in reference to it. Its location probably is south of Baleai along the upland road to the Dhéma Pass. KODER/HILD, *Hellas und Thessalia* (as footnote 18 above) 201 located this fortified settlement outside of the Thermopylai fortification system "perhaps" in the area of the Spercheios Valley.

⁸³ An unidentified ancient fortification. The name may be Thracian, so BEŠEVĽIEV, *Kastellnamen* (as footnote 8 above) 131 for Σακίσσος, *De aed.* 4.11. Just as easily, the Homeric Greek word, τὰ σάκος, for 'shield', could just as well apply, and would be apt for a fortification. Coincidentally, a modern Greek village called Ξάσκα is located northeast almost equidistant between modern Hypáte and Leiandokládion in the alluvial plain along the right bank of the Spercheios River. Consequently, late Roman Sakkos could have been located on or at the southern bridge head of the Spercheios River along the highway that Procopius says descended from Illyricum into Greece (*De aed.* 4.2.17). The presence of this Roman highway is attested from a Hadrianic milestone dated to 125 (*CIL* III suppl. 7359).

⁸⁴ On Procopius' narrative on Greece and his tendency to proceed from north to south, see T.E. GREGORY, *Procopius on Greece* (as footnote 5 above) 105.

⁸⁵ Hypata was along the north-south crossroad of the coastal route from Lamia to Thermopylai, so F. STÄHLIN, 'H Ὑπατα. *RE* 9/1 (1914) 236, 52–58; and PHILIPPSON/E. KIRSTEN, *Die griechischen Landschaften*. I 1 (as footnote 57 above) 243.

⁸⁶ *CIL* III suppl. 7359 reads: IMP CAES DIV TRA | IANI PARTHICI F DIVI | NERVA NEPOS TRAI A | NUS HADRIANUS AUG | PONTIF MAX TRIB POT | VIII COS III | XXXI | A. The inscription's editor, Kiepert, interpreted the mileage of line 7, "XXXI," as being from Pharsalos to Hypata.

village of Mexitaxes suggests the nearby location of a once ancient bridgehead across that river.

4.2.17: ἐν δὲ τῇ^a Ἡρακλείᾳ πεποιήται τάδε. ἐξ Ἰλλυριῶν ἐς Ἑλλάδα ἰόντι, ὄρη δύο^b ἐπὶ μακρότατον^c ἀλλήλοιν^d ὥς ἀγχοτάτω^e ξυνίασι, στενωπὸν ἐν βραχεῖ^f ἀπεργαζόμενα τὴν μεταξὺ χώραν (κλειούρας νενομίκασι τὰ τοιαῦτα καλεῖν).

τῇ V. Om. A. ἀλλήλοιν V. ἀλλήλοις A. ἀγχοτάτω A.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s.v. ^a [χώρη], ^b cf., Hdt. 7.213.1: τὴν ἀτραπὸν τὴν διὰ τοῦ ὄρεος φέρουσαν ἐς Θερμοπύλας, ^c ἐπὶ μακρός, α, ον, ^d ἀλλήλους, ας, α, ^e ἀγροτάτος, α, ον, ^f ἐν βραχύς.

And in [the region of] Herákleia he did as follows. As one goes from Illyricum to Greece, two mountains stand very close to each other for a long distance, in short, producing a narrow pass in the middle of the region, the kind that they usually call a *kleisoura*.

We have now reached the climax of Procopius' rhetorical agenda for this passage and begin to unveil the Emperor Justinian's solution to the Thermopylae frontier's defensive puzzle, which Procopius claims no one previously has been able to grasp; namely, that to defend the frontier at the Thermopylae Pass alone will always fail if one does not defend the κλεισούρα of the Herákleia region as well.⁸⁷ Put in other words, the solution to the defense of this frontier is the admittance that the κλεισούρα of the Herákleia region (i.e., the Dhéma Pass, its highway, and the Isthmus Corridor) is critical and that the well being of Thermopylae region is totally dependent upon the proper defense of that κλεισούρα.⁸⁸ This departure in strategic and tactical thinking that focused *away* from the heroic Thermopylae Pass to that of the Dhéma Pass would revolutionize the frontier defense of Central Greece.⁸⁹

⁸⁷ Procopius grudgingly admits as a digression in *Bella* 2.29.25 that the Greek term κλεισούρα was borrowed from the Latin *clausura* or *clusura*, which indicated "a narrow, shut-in road," as one would expect to find in the narrows of a mountain pass. In *De aed.* 3.3.2, he further adds that these locations often were furnished with milestones, which indicates that the road surfaces were public roads (*viae publicae*) both state-built and maintained. See also *De aed.* 3.7.5.

⁸⁸ Κλεισούραι in later times were known to have been manned by κλεισουροφυλάκες or "mountain pass guards" (Theophanes a.m. 6159), whose commander in turn were styled as a κλεισουριάρχος (Theophanes a.m. 6187).

⁸⁹ As first pointed out by W.J. CHERF, *Thermopylai. Myth and Reality in 480 BC*, in D. Papenfuß/V.M. Strocka (eds.), *Gab es das griechische Wunder? Griechenland zwischen dem Ende des 6. und der Mitte des 5. Jahrhunderts v. Chr.* Mainz 2001, 353–361. Similarly, this strategic and tactical relationship was not missed

The presence in MS V of the τῆ (χώρᾱ understood) between δὲ and Ἡρακλείᾱ of the initial line is the preferred reading as 4.2.17 introduces the region of Herákleia, not that of the city of Herákleia.⁹⁰ This choice of MS reading, in addition to the other indications attesting to the tripart regional division of this passage, is then further supported by the subsequent words “the middle of the region” (τὴν μετὰ τὴν χώρᾱν).

Important for this passage is Procopius’ emphasis of movement from north to south – from Illyricum to Greece,⁹¹ presumably in a veiled reference to the principal highway that connected the province of Achaia with the northern regions of the praefecture of Illyricum.⁹² The obvious candidate for this verbal picture is the well-known coastal highway that descends from Thessaloniki – the very seat of the prefecture, passes through Tempe, Central Thessaly, and across the Othrys Range via the Phoúrka Pass to enter the Malian Basin above the city of Lamia.⁹³ From Lamia this road ran south along the eastern

during the German advance through Central Greece during World War II, so G. J. SZEMLER/W. J. CHERF, ‘Nochmals’ Thermopylai, 480 BC–AD 1941. Parallels: Topographical and Tactical, in R. Mellor/L. Tritle (eds.), *Text & Tradition. Studies in Greek History & Historiography in Honor of Mortimer Chambers*. Claremont 1999, 327–366.

⁹⁰ For a parallel to this construction, see 4.2.3 above: ἂ ταύτῃ [χώρᾱ] ἀνέχει.

⁹¹ The northern boundary of the sixth century province of Greece ran along the foot of the Thermopylae frontier. All lands south of this range including the Peloponnesus were considered Greece, so P. CHARANIS, *Observations on the History of Greece During the Early Middle Ages*. *Balkan Studies* 11 (1970) 1–34; and D. A. ZAKYTHINOS, *Byzantinische Geschichte 324–1071*. Vienna 1979, 4. Alternately, G. OSTROGORSKY, *Postanak Tema Helada I Peloponez*. *Ižve stoja Žbornika Radova* 21 (1952) 67–69 holds that in the sixth century the administrative term Greece applied to Central Greece only, its northern frontier being the Oíte-Kallídhromos Range. In the eleventh century, the northern frontier for the Helladic Theme was located at Thermopylae (καταντᾷ μέχρι Θερμοπυλῶν), so Constantine Porphyrogenitus, *De thematibus* 90.

⁹² Proc. *Anec.* 18.20: “And Illyricum and Thrace in its entirety, comprising the whole expanse of country from the Ionian Gulf to the outskirts of Byzantium, including Greece and the Thracian Chersonese (DEWING, Procopius. VI. The Anecdota, as footnote 68 above, 217).” DEWING/DOWNEY, Procopius. VII. Buildings (as footnote 4 above) 249 note 1: “It would seem as if Illyricum extended in his [Procopius’] time as far east as the Danube, as far north as the River Save, and as far west as the Julian Alps.”

⁹³ MILLER, *Itineraria Romana* (as footnote 55 above) route 80 b, 573–578; and C. EDSON, *Strepsa* (Thucydides 1.61.4). *Classical Philology* 50 (1955) 173, 177.

foothills of Mt. Oíte and then through the Thermopylae frontier at the Dhéma Pass.⁹⁴

The remains along and above the left bank of the northern exit of the Asopos River Gorge have been identified as those of ancient Trachis by Béquignon,⁹⁵ and Spartan Herákleaia by others.⁹⁶ Extensive wall remains and cisterns have been reported.⁹⁷ It is worth noting, however, that Procopius makes no attempt either at locating this city or describing its fortifications, much less assigning them to the Thermopylae region.⁹⁸ As to why Procopius did not describe Herákleaia city in this passage even after later slipping that he had (see below 4.2.21), the reason may be due to one or more of the following: (a) that sixth century Herákleaia was so well-known that a description of it was deemed superfluous; (b) that because of the unfinished state of the *De aedificiis*, the description of Herákleaia city was omitted or overlooked by the author; or (c), that Procopius' understanding of precisely where the city stood was flawed, that he did not have accurate information about the city, and therefore passed over its description in favor of his rhetorical agenda: the description of the highway, κλεισούρα, and fortifications of Myropóles within the region of Herákleaia itself.

Procopius' next reference to the two mountains (ὄρη δύο ἐπὶ μακρότατον ἀλλήλοιν), which formed between them the narrow pass

⁹⁴ The tracing of the course and recording of this highway's remains and the many newly identified sites discovered along it was the subject of the Loyola University Phokis-Doris Expedition in Central Greece from 1974 through 1982. For this paved highway, in some places with preserved widths of 3.5 meters, see: E. KASE, The Isthmus Corridor Road System from the Valley of the Spercheios to Kirrha on the Kriisaian Gulf, *GICR* 21–45, Figs. 3.2 to 3.6, and Plates 3.1 to 3.11.

⁹⁵ Y. BÉQUIGNON, La vallée du Spercheios des origines au IV^e siècle. Paris 1937, 234–243, 254–256.

⁹⁶ F. STÄHLIN, Das hellenische Thessalien. Stuttgart 1924, 207–209; ID., Herakleia Nr. 4. *RE* 8 (1912) 424, 41–43; PHILIPPSON/E. KIRSTEN, Die griechischen Landschaften. I 1 (as footnote 57 above) 250; and SZEMLER/CHERF/KRAFT, Thermopylai (as footnote 59 above) 34, 101–104.

⁹⁷ Reconstructed fortification walls of a rubble and mortar style suggestive of an early Byzantine date are extant along the south, northeastern, and western sides of the citadel in addition to a spring and two large cisterns, Personal autopsy, summer 1975. So BÉQUIGNON, La vallée (as footnote 93 above) 243–244, 257–258; STÄHLIN, Thermopylen (as footnote 30 above) 2207; and L. DALY, Echinós and Justinian's Fortifications in Greece. *AJA* 46 (1942) 507.

⁹⁸ MACKEY, Procopius' *De Aedificiis* (as footnote 43 above) 249 states that Herákleaia “is treated by Procopius as already outside the region of Thermopylae proper.”

or κλεισούρα, is a very apt description of the Dhéma Pass. In fact the modern village situated immediately below at the northern entrance to this pass is called Káto Dhió Vouná or “below the two heights.”⁹⁹ In fact the only topographical feature throughout the entire Thermopylae frontier that could possibly match Procopius’ description of this κλεισούρα is the Dhéma Pass.¹⁰⁰

The regions of Thermopylae and Herákleia seem to represent two neighboring frontier districts arrayed along the northern border of early Byzantine Greece. Given the checkered history and almost legendary and predictable fickleness of the inhabitants of the southern Malian Basin, one could easily imagine a unified military command comprised of two frontier jurisdictions along the northern border of Achaia as a necessity. As described above, the early Byzantine fortification system along the Thermopylae frontier was topographically clumped into roughly two sections: the fortifications east of the Asópos River Gorge which included Thermopylae and the Dhéma Military Complex located some seven kilometers west of that same gorge. The challenge of such a unified command would be the coordination of these two districts so that they acted in concert and not against one another – hence the potential cause of the Hunnic breakthrough in 539/540. This, therefore, was the true thrust behind Alexander’s installation of the garrison of 2000 soldiers after 540 and subsequent to the Hunnic raid on Central Greece. It represented both a tactical reorganization and an augmentation to the local frontier troops, who had been on station since the early fifth century.¹⁰¹

⁹⁹ See *GICR* 23, plate 1–7 for a panoramic view of the northern entrance to the Dhéma Pass from the height of Kou Kou opposite. The houses of the village of Káto Dhió Vouná can be seen directly below the black number “1” in the plate.

¹⁰⁰ One can assume that since the Dhéma Pass was a κλεισούρα, then it carried the most important road through the Thermopylae frontier and the physical evidence of its defenses supports such an assertion, so: W.J. CHERF, *The Dhéma Pass and its early Byzantine fortifications*. Dissertation, Loyola University of Chicago 1984, *passim*; WALLACE/CHERF, *GICR* 56–59. Only that which is dear is worth the effort of elaborate defense.

¹⁰¹ One must assume that the troops were stationed along the Thermopylae frontier since the early fifth century, since walls cannot defend themselves. Assuming that one generation is twenty years in length, some five to six generations had passed since the original billet in the early fifth century. It is in this light that Alexander’s installation of the 2000 professional soldiers must be understood: soldiers who most likely did not entirely physically displace the former frontier forces. This suspicion is supported by the sudden tactical deployment of the Thermopylae garrison in 552 to Croton (*Bella* 8.26.1–2). It is hard to believe that this decision was made only to totally denude the Thermopylae frontier.

4.2.18: πηγή^a δὲ μέσον κάτεισιν, ἐν μὲν ὥρᾳ θερινῇ πότιμον^b ἀποβλύζουσα καὶ καθαρὸν^c ὕδωρ ἀπὸ τῶν ὄρων, ἃ ταύτῃ ἀνέχει, ἐς ῥύακά τε ἀποκεκριμένη βραχύν.^d

καθαρὸν V. γαληνὸν A.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s.v. ^a ἡ πηγή, ^b πότιμος, ^c καθαρός, ^d ἄ, ὄν, ^d τὰ βράχια.

And a stream comes down between them [the two mountains], in the summer time fresh and clear water flows down from the mountains forming a swallow mountain torrent.

The stream described as flowing into the κλεισούρα can only be the modern Xirías or ancient Melas of Herodotus' time.¹⁰² This seasonal mountain torrent originates high up the eastern slopes of the Oítean range near the modern village of Άno Dhío Vouná, descends, and then diagonally intersects the Dhéma Pass (northeast to southwest), and flows on through the Vizoutí Gorge adjacent to the pass and then beyond to the Malian Plain.¹⁰³

4.2.19: ἐπειδὰν δὲ ὕοι, χειμάρρους^a ἐνταῦθα ἐπικυρτοῦται ὑψηλός^b τε ὑπερφυῶς καὶ δεινός^c ἄγριος ἐπὶ πλεῖστον τῶν ἐκείνῃ σκοπέλων ἀπὸ τῶν χαραδρῶν^d συνάγων τὸ ῥεῦμα.^e

ὕοι V. ὕη A. χειμάρρους V; χεῖμαρος A.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s.v. ^a χεῖμαρος, ^b ὑψηλός, ^c ἄ, ὄν, ^c δεινός, ^d ἡ, ὄν, ^d ἡ χαράδρα, ^e τὸ ῥεῦμα.

But whenever it rains, a powerful torrent rushes down there, which gathers in volume from the mountain streams, which flow down from the neighboring peaks.

During one visit to the Malian Basin in March of 1987, an unusual snowfall occurred where over one meter of heavy, wet snow fell along the 100 meter elevations within a ten hour period. Up mountain, two plus meters of snowfall were reported at the village of Elevtherokhórion located at 750 meters of elevation. The resulting near-catastrophic snowmelt that then followed truly had to be seen to be believed. For several days the modern concrete ford constructed across the Xirías mountain streambed as it crosses the Dhéma Pass enroute to the Vizoutí Gorge became a raging white-water torrent, several feet deep,

¹⁰² See SZEMLER/CHURF/KRAFT, Thermopylai (as footnote above) 9, 25, 93.

¹⁰³ J. FARRELL, Note on the Position of Rhoduntia. *Classical Review* 24 (1910) 117; F. STÄHLIN, Melas Nr. 14, *RE* 15/1 (1931) 439; *id.*, Thermopylen (as footnote 30 above) 2403,1–6; and PHILIPPSON/E. KIRSTEN, Die griechischen Landschaften. I 1 (as footnote 57 above) 239.

icy cold, and relentless. During this period, any attempt whatsoever to cross that ford with a car or truck would have been utter madness. A similar torrent was observed during May of 1981 following a normal winter's snowfall.

4.2.20: ἐνθένδε τοῖς βαρβάροις εἰσιτητὰ ἐπὶ τε Θερμοπύλας οὐδενὶ πόνῳ ἐγένετο καὶ τὴν αὐτὴν Ἑλλάδα.

Here it was possible for the barbarians with no difficulty to enter both the Thermopylae region and Central Greece.

With this statement Procopius in effect defines his κλεισούρα and its highway as:

- (a) A route that passes from the Malian Basin through the Thermopylae frontier into Central Greece, and,
- (b) As the primary way to circumvent the Thermopylae region's fortifications. The point is simply that both the Thermopylae region and Central Greece would be seriously compromised if the κλεισούρα fell into the hands of barbarians, and the devastating events of 539/540 only confirm this (*Bella* 2.4.10).

4.2.21: τοῦ δὲ στενωποῦ ἐφ' ἑκάτερα δύο ἐκ παλαιοῦ ὀχυρώματα ἦν, πῇ μὴν Ἡράκλεια πόλις, ἥσπερ ἐπεμνήσθην ἀρτίως πῇ δὲ ὁ Μυροπόλης καλούμενος οὐκ ὀλίγη διεστικῶς χώρα.

πῇ ... πῇ DINDORF; πῇ ... πῇ codd.

But there was on each side of the mountain pass two ancient strongholds. On the one side the city of Herákleia, that I have just mentioned, and Myropóles, so-called, standing apart [from Herákleia] in the land at not a small distance.

Within the literary framework of rhetorical writing, the panegyric strove for effectiveness of purpose and style where many details must be sacrificed or compressed for the sake of literary form. It could well be that the account of the city and fortifications at Herákleia became such a victim as they play no direct role whatsoever in Procopius' rhetorical agenda for the passage. To some degree this explains too Procopius' considerable confusion when he attempts to describe the topographical relationship of Myropóles and Herákleia regarding the κλεισούρα. His text says that these two strongholds were situated "on each side" (ἐφ' ἑκάτερα) of the κλεισούρα, yet incongruously at a great distance apart (οὐκ ὀλίγη διεστικῶς χώρα). Now it is known that Procopius occasion-

ally misused some Greek prepositions, for example, *παρά* for *πρό*, etc.¹⁰⁴ Since a *κλεισούρα* by definition is a narrow mountain pass, two fortifications cannot be on each side of it separated by not a small distance *unless* Procopius meant by *ἐφ' ἑκάτερα* not “on each side,” but rather “at either end.” Since the text implies a narrow passage which logically implies “end” (*τέλος*) rather than “side” (*ἑκάτερα*) as presently stated,¹⁰⁵ one could argue that the word *τέλος* should be supplied as the understood object of the preposition *ἐπί*. Once supplied, the passage makes considerably more topographical sense, for two strongholds can be “at either end” of a narrow mountain pass or *κλεισούρα* and still remain distantly separated.

Even if this was indeed the case, Procopius still remains confused as to the location of Herákleia city and its fortifications, which he merely mentions.¹⁰⁶ Did, for example, Procopius believe that the site of the Κούβελα/Κάστρο τés Oriás: an imposing, sprawling, heavily fortified, and as yet unidentified urban complex located immediately at the southern exit of the Dhéma Pass was Herákleia? If so, then his description of the *κλεισούρα* and the relationship of Myropóles and Herákleia located at either end make sense. Regardless of the above suggestions, Procopius' confusion of the relationship of Herákleia city to the *κλεισούρα* cannot be denied, all the more so since this area was the point of his entire discussion of the fortifications along the Oíte-Kallídromos frontier barrier.

Unlike the many other forts, fortresses, and strongholds mentioned in this account Procopius described well the location of Myropóles and its *κλεισούρα*. The location of the remains of the Dhéma frontier remains, and in particular that of Dhéma Crosswall D, satisfies Procopius' text far better than any previous suggestions.¹⁰⁷ In short,

¹⁰⁴ So J. SCHEFTLIN, *De praepositionum usu Procopiano*. Diss. Erlangen 1893.

¹⁰⁵ Procopius used the expression *ἐφ' ἑκάτερα* also in *Bella* 2.29.25: “For there are on both sides of the river exceedingly high and jagged mountains, and as a result the passes are narrow and very long. (The Romans call the roads through such passes “*clisurae*” when they put their own word into a Greek form.)” DEWING, Procopius. I. History of the Wars (as footnote 37 above) 535.

¹⁰⁶ As further evidence of the incomplete editing of this passage and the unfinished nature of the *De aedificiis* in general, the presence of the phrase *ἥσπερ ἐπεμνήσθην ἀρτίως* suggests the possibility that Procopius might have once had intended to include a description of the fortifications of Herákleia city.

¹⁰⁷ W. LEAKE, *Travels in Northern Greece*. London 1835, II 28 note 1, placed Myropóles behind Herákleia and overlooking the Asopos Gorge near the modern village of Délphinon; MACKAY, Procopius' *De Aedificiis* (as footnote 43 above) 250 identified Myropóles with either Klisoporto, a rocky height that

the territory of the ancient toponym of Myropóles included what we recognize today as the village of Káto Dhió Vouná, the surrounding agricultural fields of the Kotronákia and Arakovítsa upland plains, and the Dhéma Pass and its fortifications.

Finally, the etymology of Myropóles (μυροπώλης) suggests a dealer in unguents, scented oils, or perfumes: in short, a perfume market.¹⁰⁸ This is significant given the almost legendary hellebore plant, itself a type of orchid, which was famous in the Oítaian area for its “curative” properties.¹⁰⁹ What the name also suggests, and not surprisingly, is that situated at the northern entrance to the Dhéma Pass and astride its highway was an emporium of trade and commerce.

4.2.22: ταῦτα δὲ ἄμφω τὰ ὀχυρώματα ἐν ἐρειπίοις^a ἐκ παλαιοῦ ὄντα Ἰουστινιανὸς ἀνωκοδομήσατο βασιλεὺς καὶ διατειχίσματι τὸν στενωπὸν ὀχυρωτάτῳ περιβαλὼν, τούτῳ τε συνάψας^b ὄρος ἐκάτερον τοῖς μὲν βαρβάροις τὴν δίοδον^c ἀνεχαίτισε, τῷ δὲ χειμάρρῳ^d ἐπάναγκές ἐστι λιμνάζοντι τοῦ τείχους ἐντός, εἴτα ἐφύπερθεν αὐτοῦ φερομένῳ ὅπῃ παρατύχοι ἵεναι.

ὀχυρωτάτῳ V; ἐχυρωτάτῳ A.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s.v. ^a an adjectival expression of τὰ ἐρείπια, ^b συνάπτω, ^c ἡ δίοδος, ^d χεῖμαρρος, ov.

Since both of these ancient strongholds had long lay in ruin, the Emperor Justinian rebuilt them and cut-off and fortified the mountain pass with a very strong cross wall, which he joined to each of the two mountains, thereby blocking the pass from the barbarians, and the torrent now forms a pond inside the wall, trickling over it, and then flowing on wherever it chanced.

This statement, as with so many of Procopius’ claims, concerning Justinian’s wholesale renovation of fortifications requires serious reconsideration. The archaeological evidence from the Dhéma frontier remains indicates at least two late Roman horizons: a pre-fifth century

overlooks the Dhéma Pass from the east or with the fortifications of Kástro tès Hôrias to the south. KODER/HILD, *Hellas und Thessalia* (as footnote 18 above) 274 s. v. Thermopylae, identified Myropóles with the fortifications of the Fylakí Complex located to the east of Herákleia among the fortification system of the Thermopylai region.

¹⁰⁸ The *Suda* (ed. ADLER) 3.428 no. 1452 mentions a certain Μυροπώλιον.

¹⁰⁹ In antiquity, the purgative drug, hellebore, was known to have been grown on the eastern slopes of Mt. Oíte. The guilds and tradesmen involved in the production, manufacture, and trade of herbs, spices, perfumes, drugs and unguents were called μυρησώποι. A city, quarter, or location for this activity was called a μυροπώλης.

fortlet¹¹⁰ followed by an early fifth century revision and expansion. The ceramic evidence similarly points to continuous habitation of the site from the late fourth through mid-sixth centuries.¹¹¹

Procopius describes the fortifications associated with the κλεισούρα which we have identified with the Dhéma Pass. Apparently Procopius considered among the rebuilt strongholds (ὄχυράματα ... ἀνωκοδομήσατο) at Dhéma, those of the city of Herákleia, and perhaps even the walls of Kástro tēs Horiás.¹¹²

Procopius' description of a cross wall (διατειχίσματα) accords well with the topographical situation of Dhéma Crosswall D, for this structure was found at the only location in the Dhéma Pass where parallel and opposing sheer rock cliffs and outcroppings offered secure purchase for wall terminations. Moreover, this wall's location is immediately adjacent to the Xirías mountain stream,¹¹³ which during its spring spate,¹¹⁴ easily could have formed a pond behind it.¹¹⁵ Thus, Dhéma Crosswall D best identifies the κλεισούρα near Myropóles with the Dhéma Pass.

4.2.23: Καὶ πόλεις δὲ τῆς Ἑλλάδος ἀπάσας, αἵπερ ἐντός εἰσι τῶν ἐν Θερμοπύλαις τειχῶν, ἐν τῷ βεβαίῳ κατεστήσατο εἶναι, τοὺς περιβόλους^a ἀνανεωσάμενος ἅπαντας.

ἀνανεωσάμενος A; ἀνανεωσαμένος V.

¹¹⁰ On the late fourth century garrison at Thermopylae, see W.J. CHERF, The Thermopylae Garrison of *Vita Claudii* 16. *Classical Philology* 88 (1993) 230–236.

¹¹¹ See J. ROSSER, Evidence for a Justinianic Garrison behind Thermopylae at the Dhéma Pass, in J. Herrin/M. Mullett/C. Otten-Froux (eds.), *Mosaic. Festschrift for A.H.S. Megaw*. London 2001, 33–41 for maps of the Dhéma Pass and its frontier remains, plates of artifacts, and a fine discussion of the archaeological small finds. The author is grateful to Professor Rosser for providing a copy of his article.

¹¹² So G. KOLIAS, Σιδέροκαστρο. *EEBS* 19 (1933) 81.

¹¹³ See discussion of 4.2.18 above and MACKEY, Procopius' *De Aedificiis* (as footnote 43 above) 250 for the identification of this mountain stream with the modern Xirias of the Dhéma Pass. Cf. KODER/HILD, *Hellas und Thessalia* (as footnote 18 above) 274, who place the location of this cross wall within the narrows of the Asopos Gorge.

¹¹⁴ My observations of this stream in early May of 1981 and during the spring of 1987 confirms this mountain stream's capacity. Yet during the hot summer months it recedes to a trickle. One might speculate that this cross wall was constructed during the late summer when the stream could have been either easily diverted or spanned.

¹¹⁵ For other examples of Justinianic stream damming or diversion, see *De aed.* 2.3.16–20 (with sluice gates) and 2.8.16–18.

POWELL, *Lexicon* s.v. ^a ὁ περίβολος.

He [Justinian] then secured all the cities of Greece, which are inside [south of] the walls in the Thermopylai [region], restoring all their circuit walls.

Procopius, immediately after having finished the description of the κλεισούρα near Myropóles within the region of Herákleia, now returns to what he mentioned earlier as to those cities inside (ἐντός) the wall at Thermopylai (4.2.12): all of Central Greece (Phokis, Boiotia, Attika), the Isthmus and Corinth. Then begins his description of Central Greece and regions farther to the south. By so doing, he implies that Thermopylai and Herákleia indeed were recognized regions, which this author believes made up a defensive military frontier perhaps governed after 540 by a unified command structure as a result of Alexander's installation of the garrison of 2000.

Conclusion

In conclusion, the identification of the Dhéma Pass with Procopius' κλεισούρα is an extremely attractive possibility. The elaborate military architecture, extensive highway remains within the pass, and the location of Dhéma Crosswall D,¹¹⁶ which once blocked the Xirías mountain stream, all strongly suggest the identification of these remains with the stronghold of Myropóles. In addition, the abundant late Roman pottery and debris excavated from with the pass and late Roman pottery scatter found throughout the modern village of Káto Dhió Vouná, sited immediately adjacent to the pass' entrance and its fortifications, make it as likely a candidate for the commercial settlement of Myropóles as any other.

As for the above commentary, while Procopius' account does offer our fullest topographical description of the late antique defenses of the Thermopylae frontier, it must be emphasized that it was composed as a set piece of literary rhetoric, which therefore meant that it was not intended to be either an exhaustive or definitive statement on the military condition or preparedness of the northern frontier of Achaia. Rather, this passage was a selectively written work designed solely to praise Justinian for his construction and renovation of the defenses along the Thermopylae frontier and in particular his solution to the

¹¹⁶ CHERF, *The Dhéma Pass* (as footnote 98 above) Map III, Plate 10–13; WALLACE/CHERF, *GICR* 57 and Fig. 421.

frontier's defensive puzzle. Furthermore, the analysis of this passage has served as a barometer on the general value of Procopius' *De aedificiis*, for his account has been directly compared with the area's known topographical features and archaeological remains. One can only conclude, at least regarding the contents of this particular passage, that more archaeological questions were left unanswered than were resolved. In short, as an archaeological source, the *De aedificiis* is a disappointing and vexing resource filled with equivocations.¹¹⁷ Only when armed with first-hand topographical and/or archaeological field experience can useful nuggets be gleaned from it. Finally, and in light of the clearly rhetorical purpose of the work, and Procopius' confusions regarding the city of Herákleia, one may doubt that Procopius ever did visit the neighborhood of the Thermopylae frontier,¹¹⁸ even though during his career he certainly had ample opportunity to do so,¹¹⁹

¹¹⁷ GREGORY, Procopius on Greece (as footnote 5 above) 105: "Procopius' discussion of Greece in the *De Aedificiis* is short: what he says is often confused or downright wrong."

¹¹⁸ RUBIN, Prokopios (as footnote 11 above) 584, 19–20 merely states: "Autopsie wahrscheinlich." MacKay, Procopius' *De Aedificiis* (as footnote 43 above) 241, 252, believes that Procopius' command of the topography of the Thermopylae frontier may have been the result of a visit to the area sometime during his career. In addition, MacKay sees "the evident development in Procopius' understanding of the topography of the [Thermopylai] pass" from a passage in the earlier work the *Bella* and the *De aedificiis*. What caught MacKay's eye was Procopius' earlier statement in *Bella* 2.4.10 of the 'Hunnish' invasion of Central Greece. In that passage, the path (ἡ ἀτραπός) that flanked the defenders was found unexpectedly (παρὰ δόξαν), while in the above passage the opening words (θαυμάσειεν ἄν τις) suggest wonder that anyone immediately could not have blundered upon his flanking route. Although MacKay's suggestion is attractive, one must first recall the radical difference in literary genres between the *Bella*, a serious and at times critical narrative piece, and the *De aedificiis*, an ἐκφρασίς, rhetorical exercise, and work of probable imperial commission. Furthermore, MacKay's suggestion of a linkage between *Bella* 2.4.10 and *De aed.* 4.2.8 is further weakened by the yet another instance where Procopius seems just to be mimicking Herodotean phraseology. Cf. Hdt. 7.213: ὃς μέγα τι παρὰ βασιλέος δοκέων ὄνισσθαι ἔφασέ τε τὴν ἀτραπὸν τὴν διὰ τοῦ ὄρεος φέρουσαν ἐς Θερμοπύλας with that of *Bella* 2.4.10: τὰς περιδούς παρὰ δόξαν τὴ ἀτραπὸν εὗρον ἢ φέροι εἰς τὸ ὅπος ὃ ταύτῃ ἀνέχει.

¹¹⁹ During Procopius' long and adventurous career, he was clearly no stranger to the shipping lanes nor highways of the imperium. We first find him in the spring of 527 at the city of Daras, Syria as the newly appointed ξύμβουλος or *consiliarius* of that city's commandant and *dux Mesopotamiae* Belisarius. During Belisarius' African expedition, Procopius now as his πάρεδος or *assessor* (*Bella* 3.14.3), visited Sicily as Belisarius' intelligence agent and in the process met a childhood friend at Syracuse (*Bella* 3.14.7). He briefly visited the islands of Gozzo and

Procopius's confusion and inconsistencies found within this passage suggest that he may not have. His account, therefore, must have been based upon secondary sources, whether imperial archival material, itineraries, military reports and the like, and were not the result of his personal autopsy.

Abstract

This article compares topographical and archaeological remains of the Thermopylae frontier with the ancient testimonia of the sixth century historian Procopius of Caesareia (*De aedificiis* 4.2.1.–22). It was revealed that: many of the frontier fortifications described were initially built before the sixth century; the fortified κλεισοῦρα mentioned should be equated with the Dhéma Pass; and the commercial settlement of Myropóles is best identified with the modern village of Káto Dhió Vouná. Written in Attic prose, this passage represents a rhetorical exercise, the climax of which turned not on the ancient battlefield of Thermopylae, but rather on a mountain pass and it's highway that neutralized the Thermopylae defenses if they were ever controlled by the enemy. We were told that only the Emperor Justinian's wisdom could grasp this critical fact. Additionally, Procopius employed many rhetorical devices in this narrative: τόπος, χρόνος, πρᾶγμα, ἄγαλμα, ἔκφρασις, πανηγυρικός and employed imperial propaganda, praise, and exaggeration as well. In short, the passage is a classic example of selective story telling that may have found its inspiration in the Hunnic raid of 539/540 and the Herodotean account of the Persian invasion of 480 BC. While Procopius' account remains our best topographical description of the late antique Thermopylae frontier, one can only say that more archaeological questions were left unanswered than were resolved. In short, as an archaeological source, the *De aedificiis* is a disappointing and vexing

Malta (*Bella* 3.14.16) enroute during the invasion of Vandal North Africa and landed with Belisarius' army at Caput Vada, Libya (*Bella* 3.14.17). In 536 Procopius was in Carthage during the soldiers' revolt in the East, from where he then returned to Syracuse (*Bella* 4.14.39–41). Later, he skirted the coastline opposite Terracina, Italy (*Bella* 5.11.3). Procopius states that he had traveled many times the waters between the island of Corfu and the Strait of Messina (*Bella* 8.22.19). He visited the Italian city of Beneventum. He witnessed the first siege of Rome in 536 and the Italian famine of 538 (*Bella* 6.20.22); sojourned in Naples in 537 and Picenum in 538/539 (*Bella* 6.17.10) and Auximum in 539 (*Bella* 6.23.23). He saw the entry of the Roman army into Ravenna in the spring of 540 (*Bella* 6.29.32). In the spring of 542 he reported on the plague that had reached Constantinople (*Bella* 2.22.9). Thereafter, he may have returned to Italy during the period 546/547 (*Bella* 7.16–24). Although he yearned to visit the legendary island of Thule, he was unable to do so (*Bella* 6.15.8). We also must consider Procopius' many detailed descriptions of constructed road surfaces (i.e., *Bella* 2.1.7, 5.14.6–11, *De aed.* 4.8.4–9.) as further possible evidence of his peripatetic career.

resource filled with equivocations. Finally, one may doubt that Procopius ever did visit the Thermopylae frontier, even though during his career he certainly had ample opportunity to do so. His account, therefore, must have been based upon secondary sources, whether imperial archival material, itineraries, or military staff reports and were not the result of personal autopsy.

Elsewhere we have remarked the intimate knowledge of the Palace and imperial ceremonial in all three of the separate texts comprised in the compilation commonly known as Theophanes Continuatus and the implications that this and other details of the final text, Book VI in the Bonn edition, may have for identifying the redactor of the compilation.¹

Very close to another source, the so-called ‘Version B’ of the Logothete Chronicle, Book VI is written in a style – that of the chronicle – which differs completely from the two preceding texts in Theophanes Continuatus (Books I–IV, *Vita Basilii*). Close though it is to the Logothete Chronicle, however, Book VI is not simply a copy. Various hypotheses have been put forward by scholars concerning the various layers of its composition and authorship.² The question is complicated by the inconsistency of political sympathies. For example, the first part comprising the reigns of Leo VI to Romanus I Lecapenus follows the anti-Macedonian bias of both ‘versions’ of the Logothete Chronicle, whereas in the next part, on the sole rule of Constantine VII, this latter is praised and Romanus is the object of criticism. The final redactor of Theophanes Continuatus has combined the various parts,

¹ See J. M. FEATHERSTONE, Theophanes Continuatus: a history for the palace, in P. Odorico (ed.), *La face cachée de la littérature byzantine. Le texte en tant que message immédiat. Dossiers Byzantins*, 11, in press. NB both ‘Book V’ (the *Vita Basilii*) and ‘Book VI’ are unnumbered in Vat. gr. 167 and are separate from the first text (Books I–IV) and from each other.

² The best treatment of Book VI remains A. P. KAŽDAN, *Iz istorii vizantijskoj chronografii x v.*, I. VV 19 (1961) 76–96: 89–96. For the relation to the Logothete Chronicle, see A. MARKOPOULOS, *Le témoignage du Vaticanus gr 163 pour la période entre 945–963. Σύμμεκτα* 3 (1979) 85–119: 83–90; J. M. FEATHERSTONE, *The Logothete Chronicle in Vat gr 163. OCP* 64 (1998) 419–434. 433; O. KRESTEN, *Nochmals zu den Söhnen des Kaisers Konstantinos VII*, in K. Belke et al. (eds.), *Byzantina Mediterranea. Festschrift für Johannes Koder zum 65. Geburtstag*. Wien 2007, 327–352: 330–341; Symeonis Magistri et Logothetae Chronicon, ed. S. WAHLGREN. *CFHB*, 44. Berlin 2006, 45*. A. P. KAŽDAN, *A History of Byzantine Literature (850–1000)*. Athens 2006, 152–153, favours the possibility of Theodore Daphnopates as the author of the last part of Book VI (= Theoph. Cont., 436 sqq.); but cf. I. ŠEVČENKO, *Re-reading Constantine Porphyrogenitus*, in J. Shepard/S. Franklin (eds.), *Byzantine Diplomacy. Papers from the Twenty-fourth Spring Symposium of Byzantine Studies*. Aldershot 1992, 167–195: 169 and note 6.

one after the other, with no apparent attempt to eliminate such inconsistencies. We shall return to this question.

Now, it is striking that the account of Constantine's sole-rule in both Book VI of Theophanes Continuatus and Version 'B' of the Logothete Chronicle there is more information concerning the Palace and ceremonial than elsewhere in either text. However, Book VI gives many more details. A particularly good example is the final episode, concerning Constantine's death and funeral, of which it may be useful to cite both texts in full:

Vat. gr. 167 [V], ff. 163^v–164^v; Sigla: Boor = unpublished papers of C. de Boor, University of Munich; edd = editions of Combéfis [Paris] and Bekker [Bonn] (=Theoph. Cont., 466, 11–468, 14)

- Ἐπεὶ δὲ τὰ τελευταῖα πνέων ὥρατο ὁ πορφυρογέννητος Κωνσταντῖνος, Ῥωμανὸν τὸν υἱὸν αὐτοῦ αὐτοκράτορα βασιλέα ἐποίησεν, παραδὸν καὶ ὀρκώσας Ἰωσήφ πατρίκιον καὶ πραιπόσιτον τοῦ διαφυλάξαι αὐτὸν τῇ αὐτοῦ ἐντρεχείᾳ καὶ πυκνώσει· καὶ γὰρ τοιοῦτος ἦν ὁ ἀνὴρ, πυκνὸς καὶ
- 5 ὀρθὸς καὶ πιστὸς καὶ πρὸς τὰ πολιτικὰ διοικήματα ἀετοῦ ταχύτερος, εἰς δὲ τὸ ἀπροσωπόληπτον καὶ εὐσεβὲς καὶ δίκαιον τοιοῦτον ἕτερον μὴ γνωρίζεσθαι. Ἡ δὲ αὐγούστα Ἑλένη σὺν τοῖς τέκνοις αὐτῆς καὶ τῷ πατρικίῳ καὶ παρακοιμωμένῳ Βασιλείῳ καὶ τοῖς κοιτώνιταις, ὡς ἐώρων τὸν ἄνακτα Κωνσταντῖνον ψυχorraγοῦντα καὶ συγκοπτόμενον, περιχυθέντες τῇ κλίνῃ
- 10 κλαυθμοῖς καὶ ὀδυρμοῖς ἀμέτροις περιρραίνοντες ἀπωλοφύροντο καὶ ἀπωδύροντο τοιοῦτον δεσπότην, καὶ πλέον οὐδὲν ὠφέλησαν ἢ κωφοῖς καὶ κενοῖς δάκρυσιν καταπλύνοντες τὸ βασιλικὸν ἐκεῖνο σῶμα. Καὶ δὴ τὴν κλίνην αὐτοῦ ἀμφοτέρων περικυκλούντων καὶ ταῖς πολλαῖς οἰμωγαῖς κοπτομένων, καὶ πρὸς τὰ τέλη πάντα ὧν ὁ γλυκὺς καὶ πλουτοδότης βασι-
- 15 λεύς, χοροστασίαι ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων μαρτύρων καὶ ἱεραρχῶν παρίσταντο, καὶ τὸ πανάγιον αὐτοῦ πνεῦμα χερσὶν ἀγγελικαῖς παρέθεντο. Καὶ τάχιον τοῦτον ἀποσμήξαντες προέθηκαν ἐν τοῖς δεκαεννέα κουβίτοις. Καὶ ψαλμοῖς τοῦτον τελέσαντες παρευθὺ ἐξήγαγον, καὶ πρὸς τὴν Χαλκὴν ἀποθέντες, τελευταῖον ἀσπασμὸν ὁ ἀρχιερεὺς καὶ οἱ ἱερεῖς καὶ οἱ μάγιστροι
- 20 καὶ οἱ πατρίκιοι καὶ ἡ πᾶσα σύγκλητος κατησπάζοντο· καὶ ὁ τῆς καταστάσεως, ὡς ἔθος ἦν, ἀνακράξας «Ἐξελθε, βασιλεὺς· καλεῖ σε ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν βασιλευόντων καὶ κύριος τῶν κυριευόντων», καὶ τοῦ πλήθους καὶ

1 ὥρατο V | 6 εὐσεβὲς Boor: εὐσεβῆς V edd δίκαιος edd ὡς τοιοῦτον Bekk | 7 Ἡ δὲ om. edd σὺν καὶ edd | 9 ψυχorraγοῦντα V | 12 δάκρυσιν V καταπλάτυνοντες V | 15 δικαίων μοναχῶν τε καὶ edd | 17 κουβήτοις V: ἀκουβίτοις edd | 19 ἀσπασμὸς V | 21 βασιλεὺς V: βασιλεῦ edd | 22 καὶ: τοῦ edd

ὄχλου βοήν καὶ κωκυτὸν καὶ ὀδυρμὸν βαλλόντων, καὶ ἐπὶ τρίτῳ τοῦτο
 25 φωνήσαντος, παρευθὺ ἄραντες τὸν ἄνακτα ἐξήγαγον ἀπὸ τῶν βασιλικῶν
 δόμων ἐπὶ τὴν λεωφόρον, καὶ πρὸς τὸν ναὸν τῶν Ἁγίων Ἀποστόλων ἔφε-
 ρον, τῆς συγκλήτου πάσης προπεμπούσης, καὶ ἅσμασι προπομπίοις τὴν
 ἑξοδὸν μεγαλύνοντες.

Καὶ τί δεῖ λέγειν εἰς τὸν συνελθόντα λαὸν καὶ ὄχλον τῆς πολιτείας, τῶν
 μὲν ἀφ' ὧν τὸ βασιλικὸν ἐκεῖνο σκῆνος κατοπευόντων, τῶν δὲ πλη-
 30 σίον παραθεωρούντων, καὶ ἄλλων μὲν ἐξ οἰκοδομῶν καὶ οἰκημάτων μετε-
 ὥρων καὶ ὑψηλῶν προκυπτόντων καὶ πρὸς τὴν θεάν τῆς κλίνης ἐπιρρι-
 πτόντων, τῶν δὲ κρυφίως μυρομένων καὶ στεναγμοῖς ἐγκαρδίους κλονου-
 μένων, καὶ ἄλλων ὀδυρμοῖς καταξαινομένων, καὶ ἄλλων τινῶν ὀξύτερον
 35 ἐπικωκυόντων, καὶ συνθλιβόμενοι καὶ ἀπολοφυρόμενοι τῷ κοινῷ δυστυ-
 χήματι, τινῶν καὶ δάκρυα κρουνηδὸν προχεόντων καὶ τὴν χρυσοκόλλητον
 κλίνην καταρδευόντων καὶ καταρραϊνόντων. Ὡς δὲ τὸν ναὸν τῶν Ἁγίων
 Ἀποστόλων προσήγγισαν καὶ ἔσω τὸ βασιλικὸν δορυφορούμενον ἐφαίνετο
 σῶμα, ὁ πατρίκιος καὶ παρακοιμώμενος Βασίλειος τὸ πανάγιον αὐτοῦ
 σῶμα ταῖς οἰκείαις <χερσίν>, ὡς ἔθος τοῖς νεκροῖς ποιεῖν, λαζαρώσας, καὶ
 40 τοῦ τάφου ἦτοι τοῦ λάρνακος εὐτρεπισθέντος καὶ σηκωθέντος, κατέθετο
 μετὰ Λέοντος βασιλέως τοῦ πατρὸς αὐτοῦ. Τὴν δὲ πατρικὴν ἐνότητα καὶ
 ἀγάπην οὐδὲ μετὰ θάνατον καὶ ταφὴν ὁ φίλτατος υἱὸς ἀπέστρεψεν.

Logothete Chronicle, Version B (= Markopoulos 1979, 96, 33–38 [from
Vat. gr. 163])

Καὶ ... Ῥωμανὸν τὸν υἱὸν αὐτοῦ αὐτοκράτορα ἀνέδειξεν, ὀρκώσας Ἰωσήφ
 πατρίκιον καὶ πραιπόσιτον τοῦ διαφυλάξαι αὐτὸν τῇ αὐτοῦ ἐντρεχείᾳ καὶ
 φρονήσει. Τελευτήσαντος δὲ αὐτοῦ τὸ σῶμα αὐτοῦ κατετέθη ἐν τῷ ναῷ
 τῶν Ἁγίων Ἀποστόλων, Βασιλείου πατρικίου καὶ παρακοιμωμένου, ὡς
 5 ἔθος ἐστί, τοῦτο ἐνταφιάσαντος.

Here then, in both texts, the dying Constantine entrusts his son to the
 care of the *praipositos* Joseph Bringas, who would later replace Basil
 Lecapenus as *parakoimomenos*. But Book VI goes much further in
 praise of Bringas's piety and political ability,³ and then it adds something
 else: a death-bed scene, attended by the empress, the imperial children

23 κωκωκυτὸν V ὀδυρμῶν V ἐπὶ τρίτῳ: τοῦ τρίτου edd τούτῳ V | 28 δεῖ: δὴ V |
 29 ἐκεῖνον V | 32 μυρομένων V | 35 τινῶν δὲ καὶ τὰ edd | 36 κλίνην Bekk Boor:
 ἐκείνην V: ἐκείνην κλίνην Boor dubitanter in app. τῷ ναῷ edd | 39 χερσίν add Boor
 in app. | 40 συκοθέντος Bekk: συκοθέντες V

³ Theophanes Continuatus, ed. I. BEKKER. Bonn 1838, 466, 11–15; MARKOPOULOS,
 Le témoignage (as footnote 2 above) 96, 33–35.

and Basil Lecapenus, who was – until Constantine’s death – still *parakoimomenos*.⁴ Together with the chamberlains they all lament and mourn beyond measure (ὄδυρμοῖς ἀμέτροις περιρραίνοντες), bathing Constantine’s body in mute and vain tears (κωφοῖς καὶ κενοῖς δάκρυσι καταπλύνοντες). The bier is next taken, as prescribed for imperial funerals in the *De Cerimoniis*, to the triklinos of the 19 Couches; and thereupon follows a vivid description of the procession from the Chalke to the church of the Holy Apostles, including even the exclamation, intoned as in the *De Cerimoniis* by the master of ceremonies: ‘Come out O emperor, the King of Kings and Lord of Lords summons you.’ When the procession arrives at the Holy Apostles, the *parakoimomenos* Basil wraps the body in a shroud and Constantine is laid in the tomb together with his father Leo, which again concurs with the list of tombs in the *De Cerimoniis*.⁵ The additional attention given to Basil Lecapenus in Book VI is obvious, though one cannot be sure whether the remark about ‘mute and vain tears’ (κωφὰ καὶ κενὰ δάκρυα) at Constantine’s death-bed is intended as proof of Basil’s and the others’ great affection or is not in fact meant – or at least was meant in the source from which this account was taken – in a negative way, in contrast to the straightforward praise of Joseph Bringas’s political effectiveness.

The end of Book VI is missing; the manuscript breaks off toward the end of the reign of Romanus II, though this reign must have been complete in the original. This takes us to the time of Nicephorus Phokas, who is greatly praised in the chapter on Romanus II for his bravery in the reconquest of Crete; and elsewhere in Book VI Phokas is referred to as ‘the victorious emperor’ (βασιλεὺς ὁ νικητής).⁶ As already noted, the problem of the identity of the authors of the various parts and the final compiler of Book VI is complicated by the alternating

⁴ Theophanes Continuatus, 466,19–467,8.

⁵ Lying in state in the 19 Couches and funeral procession: Theophanes Continuatus 467,8–468,7, cf. Constantin VII Porphyrogénète, *Le Livre des Cérémonies*, ed. A. Vogt. II, Paris 1939, 84, 2–24 (I, 59 [60]). NB the form *κουβήτοις* does not appear to be an error of *Vat. gr.* 167, but occurs in another passage in MSS of the Logothete Chronicle (Logothete ed. WAHLGREN, 234, 48 et app.), suggesting that the additional details in Book VI could have been taken from a different, inextant ‘version’ of the Logothete Chronicle, or a common source. Basil wraps the body: Theophanes Continuatus 468, 9–11, cf. Constantin VII ed. Vogt II 84,25–85,2 (I, 59 [60]), where the *praipositos* takes the crown off and a plain purple band is put on. Constantine is laid together with Leo: Theophanes Continuatus 468, 11–12, cf. Constantini Porphyrogeniti imperatoris *de ceremoniis aulae byzantinae*, ed. J. J. Reiske, II. Bonn 1830, 643, 6–8 (II, 42).

⁶ Theophanes Continuatus 378, 16–17.

praise given to figures who had become enemies, in particular Romanus I and Constantine VII and the rival parakoimomenoi Joseph Bringas and Basil Lecapenus. All that seems certain is the dating: Theophanes Continuatus as it has come down to us in the Vatican manuscript was put together in the reign of Nicephorus Phokas, thus at the same time to which most scholars date Version B of the Logothete Chronicle.

Of course, we shall have to wait for Staffan Wahlgren's critical edition of this Version B before any final conclusions can be drawn concerning its relation to Book VI of Theophanes Continuatus, perhaps through yet another, inextant 'version' of the Logothete, or a common source. But we have noted the additional detail in Book VI in the passages narrating the attendance of Basil Lecapenus together with the imperial family at Constantine VII's death-bed and funeral procession. The description here of the ceremonies, evoking the protocol given in the *De Cerimoniis*, is unprecedented in Book VI. And since the *De Cerimoniis* also appears to have been copied into the two extant manuscripts – the *Lipsiensis* and the palimpsest – during the reign of Nicephorus Phokas, one might ask whether its compilation and that of Theophanes Continuatus could not have been commissioned by one and the same person who had access to the Nachlaß of Constantine VII and who in both cases added additional material to bring the work down to the current day. The great attention given to the Palace and ceremonial in Book VI and the mention of Basil Lecapenus in passages reminiscent of the *De Cerimoniis* could point to him. He is known to have commissioned texts, in particular Τακτικά.⁷

Basil's connexion with the *De Cerimoniis* is easy to demonstrate. The penultimate chapter of the first Book, I 96, on the acclamation of Nicephorus Phokas follows eleven chapters excerpted from the sixth-century Peter the Patrician on the acclamations of various emperors from Leo I until Justinian. The ceremonies for Phokas were modelled on those for Leo I in 457 which began with acclamations outside the city, instead of in the Palace, as had been the custom since Leo II – an innovation presumably desired by the military-minded Phokas. The text of Peter the Patrician was apparently sought out and used in the concoction of the ceremonies for Phokas – probably by none other than Basil Lecapenus – with acclamations copied word for word from those

⁷ About the two manuscripts of the *De Cerimoniis*, see most recently J. M. FEATHERSTONE / J. GRUŠKOVA / O. KRESTEN, Studien zu den Palimpsestenfragmenten des sogenannten 'Zeremonienbuchs.' I. Prolegomena. *BZ* 98 (2005) 423–430. For Basil and Τακτικά, see C.M. MAZZUCCHI, Dagli anni di Basilio Parakimomenos (Cod. *Ambros.* B 119 SUP.), *Aevum* 52 (1978) 267–316: 279 sq.

for Leo I.⁸ It is in keeping with the antiquarian nature of the *De Cerimoniis* that excerpts from Peter's work were appended to the first Book of Constantine's original *De Cerimoniis*, with the chapter on Phokas following that on Justinian – for good effect –, to be followed in turn by a final chapter on the promotion of a *proedros* of the Senate, a title created by Phokas for Basil Lecapenus in reward for his loyalty.⁹ Thus, Book I of the *De Cerimoniis* ends with Basil Lecapenus, as it were, in the stage-light.

So much is obvious. But after closer inspection of the preceding chapter on Phocas (I,96), which gives the precise date of the death of Romanus II and his dispositions for the regency and guardianship of his sons, we see that the model here is not Peter the Patrician, where there are no dates at all, but a chronicle-like work such as Book VI of Theophanes Continuatus. Compare, for example, the beginning of *De Cerimoniis* I,96 with the beginning of the chapter on Romanus II in Book VI:

Lipsiensis I 17 [L], f. 168v (= Constantini Porphyrogeniti ... ed. REISKE, I 96 [105], 433,13–434,13)

ρε'. Ἀναγόρευσις Νικηφόρου βασιλέως τοῦ γεγονότος δομεστίκου τῶν Σχολῶν τῆς Ἀνατολῆς τοῦ φιλοχρίστου καὶ ἀνδρειοτάτου.

- Τελευτήσαντος Ῥωμανοῦ βασιλέως τοῦ νέου, υἱοῦ Κωνσταντίνου τοῦ μεγάλου καὶ πορφυρογεννήτου βασιλέως Ῥωμαίων τοῦ Μακεδόνο, εἰς
 5 μῆνα Μάρτιον ιε', ἰνδ. ζ', ἔτους ,ςυοα', τῇ τεσσαρακοστῇ τῶν νηστειῶν, κατέλειπεν τὴν ἑαυτοῦ βασιλείαν Βασιλείῳ καὶ Κωνσταντίνῳ, τοὺς νηπίους υἱοὺς αὐτοῦ καὶ τὴν ἰδίαν γαμετὴν καὶ αὐγούστην Θεοφανῶ βασιλεύειν τῆς Ῥωμαίων ἀρχῆς, κατέλειπεν δὲ καὶ τὸν παρακοιμώμενον Ἰωσήφ οἰκονομοῦντα τὰ τοῦ κοινοῦ πράγματα. ἐκράτησεν δὲ ἡ τῶν ῥηθέντων
 10 προσώπων ἐξουσία ἀπὸ πεντεκαιδεκάτην μηνὸς Μαρτίου ἰνδ. ζ' μέχρι

⁸ For the re-use of acclamations for Leo I from Peter the Patrician, see J. M. FEATHERSTONE, *The Leipzig Manuscript of the De Cerimoniis*. BZ 95 (2002) 457–479: 472. One might be tempted to ask whether the antiquarian re-modelling outside the Golden Gate as a triumphal arch, dated to this same period by C. MANGO, *The Triumphal Way of Constantinople and the Golden Gate*. DOP 54 (2000) 175–188: 181–186, is not somehow connected; in which case, Basil Lecapenus could also have been involved.

⁹ Acclamation of Leo: Constantini Porphyrogeniti ... ed. REISKE (as footnote 5 above), I. Bonn 1829, 91, 410,5–417,12; acclamation of Phokas: *ibid.*, 433,11–440,11; promotion of *proedros*: 440,13–443,22.

1 ρέ marg. maiusc. L: ρς' Reiske | 2 ἀνδριωτάτου L | 6 κατέλειπεν L Reiske | 8 κατέλειπεν L Reiske | 9 ῥιθέντων L

Αὐγούστου πεντεκαίδεκάτης, ἰνδ. τῆς αὐτῆς. Ἰουλίου δὲ μηνὸς δευτέρα,
 ἰνδ. ὁμοίως, ἀνηγορεύθη ἐν τοῖς τῆς ἀνατολῆς μέρεσιν ὁ εὐσεβὴς καὶ
 φιλόχριστος βασιλεὺς ἡμῶν Νικηφόρος παρὰ τοῦ ἰδίου στρατοπέδου
 βασιλεὺς Ῥωμαίων. Ἐν Καισαρίᾳ γὰρ τοίνυν τῆς Καππαδοκῶν ἐπαρχίας
 15 ἐν τῷ κάμπῳ, μαγίστρου αὐτοῦ ὄντος καὶ δομεστίκου τῶν σχολῶν, συνα-
 χθέντες πάντες οἱ στρατηγοὶ καὶ τὰ τάγματα, ἀνηγόρευσαν αὐτὸν βασιλέα.
 Τοῦ δὲ μὴ βουλομένου, ἀλλὰ πρὸς τὸν πόλεμον τῶν Ἰσμαηλιτῶν ἐπι-
 σπεύδοντος καὶ τὸν λαὸν εἰς τοῦτο προτρεπομένου, αὐτοὶ μᾶλλον σπεύ-
 σαντες βίᾳ καὶ μὴ βουλόμενον ἐκ τῆς τέντης ὑψώσαντες ἀνηγόρευσαν
 20 αὐτὸν βασιλέα.

Vat. gr. 167 [V], f. 164^v; Sigla: Boor = unpublished papers of C. de Boor,
 University of Munich; edd = editions of Combéfis [Paris] and Bekker
 [Bonn] (= *Theoph. Cont.*, 468,23–470,1)

... ἐτελεύτησεν δὲ [viz. Constantine VII] μηνὶ Νοεμβρίῳ πεντεκαίδεκάτῃ,
 ἰνδ. γ', ἔτει ἀπὸ κτίσεως κόσμου ἑξακισχιλιοστῷ τετρακοσιοστῷ <...>,
 καταλείψας αὐτοκράτορα Ῥωμανὸν τὸν υἱὸν αὐτοῦ καὶ Ἑλένην αὐγού-
 σταν τὴν μητέρα Ῥωμανοῦ.

5 Βασιλεία Ῥωμανοῦ, υἱοῦ Κωνσταντίνου τοῦ πορφυρογεννήτου

Ῥωμανὸς ὁ βασιλεὺς κατελείφθη αὐτοκράτωρ παρὰ τοῦ πατρὸς αὐτοῦ τοῦ
 πορφυρογεννήτου Κωνσταντίνου ἐτῶν ὧν εἴκοσι καὶ ἑνός, τοῦ πορφυρο-
 γεννήτου Βασιλείου ἐνιαυσιαίου ὄντος, <σὺν> καὶ τῇ μητρὶ αὐτοῦ Ἑλένῃ
 καὶ Θεοφανῷ τῇ συνεύῳ αὐτοῦ, μηνὶ Νοεμβρίῳ 5' ἰνδ. γ', ἔτους ἀπὸ
 10 κτίσεως κόσμου ,ϗ<...> · καὶ παρευθὺς τοὺς κοιτωνίτας καὶ ἀνθρώπους
 τοῦ πατρὸς αὐτοῦ πατρικάτα καὶ πρωτοσπαθαράτα τιμήσας καὶ ἐν ἑτέροις
 ἀξιώμασιν ὑπερβιβάσας <καὶ> δώροις καταπλουτίσας τῶν βασιλικῶν
 δόμων τοῦ παλατίου κατήγαγεν. Ἐξελέξατο δὲ καὶ προέκρινε παραδυνα-
 στεύοντας καὶ πρῶτους τοὺς τῆς συγκλήτου Ἰωσήφ πατρίκιον πραιπόσι-
 15 τον καὶ δρουγγάριον τῶν πλωτῶν, ὄντινα καὶ μετὰ βραχὺ παρακοιμώ-
 μενον προανεβίβασεν καὶ πᾶσαν ἐξουσίαν καὶ φροντίδα τοῦ ὑπηκόου
 ἀνατέθεικεν.

13 στρατοπαίδου L | 14 τοίνυν: τῇ νῦν Reiske | 2 ἔτει Boor: ἔτους V edd | τετρα-
 κοσιοστῷ + ξθ' manu posteriori scripta + spatium ad 3 litteras V | 3 τὸν Ῥωμανὸν
 edd | τὸν υἱὸν αὐτοῦ om. edd | 7 ὧν Boor e PsSym: ὧς V | 8 σὺν add. Boor: ἅμα add.
 edd | 10 post ,ϗ spatium ad 3 litteras V | 12 καὶ add. edd | καταπλουτήσας V |
 14 πατρίκιον edd: πατρίων V

Certainly, this is no proof of anything, but it is an indication that whoever composed chapter I 96 of the *De Cerimoniis* was conscious of the form of historical writing as practised in Book VI of Theophanes Continuatus and applied it here. This would have done perfectly as the opening of a chapter on the reign of Nicephorus Phokas in Book VI of Theophanes Continuatus, a chapter which was apparently not written because Phokas was still alive. But the redactor has fitted Phokas in here, in the *De Cerimoniis*, in the context of acclamation, in order to record – and celebrate – his reign. Such interchange is in keeping with the scissors-and-paste methods observable in the final redaction of both Theophanes Continuatus and the *De Cerimoniis*. The chapters on Phokas and Basil Lecapenus were added, together with the excerpts from Peter the Patrician, at the end of Book I of the *De Cerimoniis* in both the Leipzig manuscript and the palimpsest; but the last two chapters in Book II in the *Lipsiensis*, that is, the *Life of Alexander* and the *Physiologus*, whose presence here is given ideological significance by some scholars, are absent in the palimpsest and are replaced by an otherwise unknown chapter on the *roga* distributed to officials by the emperor on Palm Sunday.¹⁰ This chapter fits well with the preceding ones on gratuities for various officials, and it could well have been in the original dossier in Book II. The *Life of Alexander* and the *Physiologus* might have been included in the *Lipsiensis* for a special purpose; but in any case they have nothing to do with what went before, and it is clear from the writing in the Pinax that they were added subsequently.¹¹ Such casualness could also explain the inconsistency displayed by the final redactor of Theophanes Continuatus. There, in Book VI, even in the final part on the reign of Romanus II, the praises of Joseph Bringas were allowed to stand, even though Bringas had vehemently opposed the ‘victorious emperor’ Nicephorus Phocas, to say nothing of his rivalry with Basil Lecapenus to whom Phocas, upon his succession, restored the office of *parakoimomenos*.

In conclusion, close associate of Constantine VII and denizen of the Palace who he was, with access to Constantine’s Nachlaß, Basil Lecapenus could well have been the redactor of both Theophanes Continuatus and the *De Cerimoniis*. But, of course, the question remains open.

¹⁰ Pinax to Book II (=Constantini Porphyrogeniti ... ed. REISKE, as footnote 5 above, 515), *Lipsiensis* I 17, f. 175; *Vatopedinus* 2003, f. 75.

¹¹ For the dossier on gratuities (συνήθεται) and writing in Pinax in Book II, see FEATHERSTONE, The Leipzig Manuscript (as in footnote 8 above) 478.

Abstract

Though parts of the text traditionally called Theophanes Continuatus go back to the time of Constantine VII, it is in fact a compilation of various texts put together by a later redactor in the reign of Nicephorus Phokas. Likewise, the original parts of text known as the *De Cerimoniis* were produced in the reign of Constantine, but the text has come down to us in a later redaction, apparently also from the time of Phokas. In the case of the *De Cerimoniis*, the final redactor has been identified as Basil the parakoimomenos, the bastard son of Romanus I Lecapenus. Similar interests and coincidences of composition in the two texts, particularly in Book VI of Theophanes Continuatus and chapter I, 96 of the *De Cerimoniis*, suggest that the compiling of Theophanes Continuatus was also the work of Basil.

THE TERM *KANDAULOS/KANDYLOS* IN THE *LEXICON* OF PHOTIUS AND THE *COMMENTARII AD HOMERI ILIADEM* OF EUSTATHIUS OF THESSALONICA

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The literary activities of Photius and Eustathius of Thessalonica have enriched our knowledge with an abundance of valuable information, continually used by modern historians all over the world. Photius, Patriarch of Constantinople (858–867 and 877–886), was born around the year 810. He belonged to a family which was affluent enough to provide their offspring with excellent education and, as a result, instill in the young man a strong interest in literature and generally in classical culture.¹ Still in his early years, the future patriarch managed to start his career auspiciously and later on continued to play an important role in the political and ecclesiastic developments of the second half of the 9th century.² It is not in the interest scope of the present study to dwell on all the major developments on which Photius left his mark. However, he is such an outstanding figure in the history of his times that one should at least point out to the most important of his merits. His election (but also doctrines³ and activities⁴) triggered turmoil in the relations between Byzantium and the Papacy.⁵ His position, initially strong thanks to

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- ¹ W. TREADGOLD, Photios and the reading public for classical philology in Byzantium, in M. Mullett/R. Scott (eds.), *Byzantium and the classical tradition*. University of Birmingham Thirteenth Spring Symposium of Byzantine Studies 1979. Birmingham 1981, 123–126; J. SCHAMP, Photius' personal share in our knowledge of Greek literary history. *Patristic and Byzantine Review* 2 (1983) 187–196.
- ² H. AHRWEILER, Sur la carrière de Photius avant son patriarchat. *BZ* 58 (1965) 348–363; F. DVORNIK, Photius' career in teaching and diplomacy. *Byzantino-slavica* 34 (1973) 211–218.
- ³ R. HAUGH, Photius and the Carolingians. The Trinitarian controversy. Belmont, Mass. 1975, *passim*.
- ⁴ L. SIMEONOVA, Diplomacy of the letter and the cross. Photios, Bulgaria and the Papacy. 860s–880s. Amsterdam 1998, *passim*; M. HURBANIĆ, What did the Patriarch Photius believe in regards to missionary activity?, in M. Kaimakamova/M. Salamon/M. Smorąg Różycka (eds.), *Byzantium, new peoples, new powers. The Byzantino-Slav contact zone, from the ninth to the fifteenth century*. Cracow 2007, 71–76.
- ⁵ F. DVORNIK, Photian schism. History and the legend. Cambridge 1970, *passim*. A useful overview of the problem: T.M. KOLBABA, Byzantine perceptions of Latin religious "errors". Themes and changes from 850 to 1350, in A.E. Laiou/R.P.

Michael III and Caesar Bardas' support, was weakened when the throne was claimed by Basil I, who sought to improve the relations with the West at the expense of the patriarch. As a result, deposed, condemned and banished, Photius was forced to suffer a fairly long period of humiliation. Ultimately, he was reinstated and rehabilitated to become officially reconciled with the Western Church at the council of 879–880. His final fall came in the wake of Basil I's death and resulted mainly from the patriarch's poor relations with the emperor's successor. The hierarch was dismissed and exiled to meet his death at an unidentified moment of time after the year 893.⁶

The patriarch's literary activities are well known not only to all students of Byzantium but also to general public. Photius' lexicon, which is of key interest to our study, is thought to belong to his early writings.⁷ No complete manuscript of the work was known until the surprising discovery in Zavorda as late as in the year 1959.⁸ The lexicon was compiled to incorporate a number of sources⁹ and apparently supposed to become a work of reference helping men of letters to unravel the obscurity of ancient authors' wording.¹⁰ It shows Photius' interest in lexicography, which is further proved by his contributions to the contents of *Etymologicum Genuinum*.¹¹ The most prominent work

Mottahedeh (eds.), *The crusaders from the perspective of Byzantium and the Muslim world*. Washington 2001, 117–144, esp. 119–121.

⁶ An overview of the developments: H. CHADWICK, *East and West. The making of a rift in the Church. From apostolic times until the Council of Florence*. Oxford 2005, 125–192.

⁷ N. G. WILSON, *The scholars of Byzantium*. London/Cambridge, Mass. 1996, 90–91; H. HUNGER, *Die hochsprachliche profane Literatur der Byzantiner*. München 1978, 1, 40.

⁸ L. POLITIS, *Die Handschriftensammlung des Klosters Zavorda und die neugefundene Photioshandschrift*. *Philologus* 105 (1961) 136–144; CH. THEODORIDIS, *Die Auffindung des codex Zavordensis 95 und die ersten Versuche eines neues Ausgabe des Lexikons des Photios*, in: *Photii patriarchae lexicon* (hereafter: *Photius, Lexicon*), ed. CH. THEODORIDIS. Berlin/New York 1982, 1, XXVII–X–XIX.

⁹ Harpokration, Diogenianus, Aelius Dionysius, Pausanias, Boethos, Timaios, Phrynichus and other sources. Cf. HUNGER (as footnote 7 above) 2, 40; CH. THEODORIDIS, *Die Quellen des Photios*, in: *Photius, Lexicon*. 1, LXXII–LXXXVI.

¹⁰ IDEM, *Das Verhältnis des Lexikons des Photios zum ῥητορικόν des Etym. Genuinum*, in: *Photius, Lexicon*, 1, XXXV–LX; IDEM, *Das Lexikon des Patriarchen Photios und das Rhetorikon des Etymologicum Genuinum*. *JÖB* 42 (1992) 95–141; WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 90–93.

¹¹ R. REITZENSTEIN, *Geschichte der griechischen Etymologika*. Ein Beitrag zur Geschichte der Philologie in Alexandria und Byzanz. Leipzig 1897, 53–60; WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 92 f.

in the patriarch's heritage, however, is constituted by his *Bibliotheca*, which is a record of the scholar's private reading. It is invaluable for various reasons but first and foremost for its preservation of entries discussing no longer extant works of numerous writers.¹² Also worthy of note are Photius' *Amphilohia*,¹³ sermons¹⁴ and letters,¹⁵ which all add to his picture of an outstanding Byzantine intellectual devoted to both classical and Christian heritage.¹⁶

Eustathius of Thessalonica, in turn, was born around the year 1115 and died in circa 1195. A native of Constantinople and educated therein, for a long time was on the staff on the patriarch's academy, where he displayed his teaching talents and scholarly virtues. His stay in the capital was also the time that he produced the bulk of his literary works. Neither did he stop his writing when in the year 1176, he was raised to the archbishopric of Thessalonica, in which he survived the famous siege and the cruel capture of the city in 1185. He lived there to the end of his life.¹⁷

¹² T. HÄGG, Photios als Vermittler antiker Literatur. Untersuchungen zur Technik des Referierens und Exzerprierens in der Bibliothek. Uppsala 1975, *passim*; W. T. TREADGOLD, On the nature of the Bibliotheca of Photius. Washington 1980, *passim*; A. KAZHDAN, A history of Byzantine Literature (850–1000). ed. CH. ANGELIDI. Athens 2006, 10–25.

¹³ WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 114–119.

¹⁴ KAZHDAN, A history (as footnote 12 above) 25–36.

¹⁵ D. STRATOUDAKI WHITE, Patriarch Photios of Constantinople. His life, scholarly contributions, and correspondence together with a translation of fifty-two of his letters. Brookline, Mass. 1981, *passim*; WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 111–114.

¹⁶ General information on Photius and his literary heritage: A. KAZHDAN, Photios, *ODB* 3, 1669 f. The latest overview of Photius' contribution: J. O. ROSENQVIST, Die Byzantinische Literatur. Vom 6. Jahrhundert bis zum Fall Konstantinopels, übersetzt von J.O. ROSENQVIST/D.R. REINSCH. Berlin 2007, 66–67. Cf. also Polish byzantinists' contributions: O. JUREWICZ, Historia literatury bizantyńskiej. Zarys. Wrocław/Warszawa/Kraków/Gdańsk/Łódź 1984, 152–156, 163–166; IDEM, Focjusz, in O. Jurewicz (ed.), Encyklopedia kultury bizantyńskiej. Warszawa 2002, 178–179.

¹⁷ On Eustathios' life, career, including literary activities compare comprehensive studies of S. KIRIAKIDIS, Introduzione, in: Eustazio di Tessalonica, La espugnazione di Tessalonica. Testo critico, introduzione, annotazioni di S. KYRIAKIDIS, proemio di B. LAVAGNINI, versione italiana di V. ROTOLO. Palermo 1961, XXXIV–LXIII; A. P. KAZHDAN/S. FRANKLIN, Studies on Byzantine literature of the eleventh and twelfth centuries. Cambridge 1984, 115–195 (life: 115–140); P. MAGDALINO, Eustathios and Thessalonica, in C. N. Constantinides/N. M. Panagiotakes/E. Jeffreys/A. D. Angelou (eds.) Φιλέλλην. Studies in honour of Robert Browning. Venice 1996, 225–238; WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 196–204. A useful summary on Eustathios: A. KAZHDAN, Eustathios of Thessalonike,

Eustathius' life was fairly long and exceptionally industrious. Set aside his political and ecclesiastic role at the end of the rule of the Comneni,¹⁸ he is known to have been very active in the area of learning and teaching.¹⁹ His depiction of the capture of Thessalonica²⁰ remains one of the best known historical sources for any student of Byzantine history. His commentaries on Homer, although sometimes criticized for "the fault of verbosity",²¹ are usually considered to be works of the utmost erudition, which as Paul Magdalino puts it "have won him a place among authors cited in Lidell and Scott".²² If we take into consideration the fact that he also left other works full of (more or less) sophisticated philological learning (on Dionysius Periegetes,²³ Pindar,²⁴

ODB 2, 754; ROSENQVIST (as footnote 17 above) 125–127. The subject has been also treated by Polish byzantinists. Cf. H. CICHOCKA, Eustacjusz z Tesaloniki, in: *Encyklopedia* (as footnote 16 above). 169; JUREWICZ, *Historia* (as footnote 16 above) 245 f., 259.

¹⁸ M. ANGOLD, *Church and society in Byzantium under the Comneni (1081–1261)*. Cambridge 1995, 179–198.

¹⁹ For instance cf. R. BROWNING, The patriarchal school at Constantinople in the twelfth century. *Byz* 32 (1962) 167–202, esp. 186–193; HUNGER (as footnote 7 above) 1, 427; 2, 64; WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 196.

²⁰ Cf. HUNGER (as footnote 7 above) 1, 427–429. The latest translation into English follows the text edited by KYRIAKIDIS (Eustazio di Tessalonica, as footnote 18 above, *passim*): Eustathios of Thessalonica, The capture of Thessaloniki. A translation with an introduction and commentary by J. R. MELVILLE-JONES. Canberra 1988, *passim*.

²¹ WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 198.

²² P. MAGDALINO (as footnote 17 above) 225. Cf. HUNGER (as footnote 7 above) 2, 64–66; WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 198 f; ROSENQVIST (as footnote 16 above) 126.

²³ A. DILLER, The manuscripts of Eustathius' commentary on Dionysius Periegetes, in A. Diller, *The textual tradition of Starbo's Geography. With appendix "The manuscripts of Eustathius' commentary on Dionysius Periegetes"*. Amsterdam 1975, 181–207; HUNGER (as footnote 7 above) 66; WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 203 f. Cf. also the two detailed sources studies: A. SAKELLARIDOU-SOTEROUDE, Ο Ηρόδοτος στις Παρεκβολές του Ευσταθίου Θεσσαλονίκης στον Διονύσιο τον Περιηγητή. *Ἑλληνικά* 43 (1993) 13–28; ΕΑΔΕΜ, Ο Στράβωνας στις Παρεκβολές του Ευσταθίου Θεσσαλονίκης στον Διονύσιο τον Περιηγητή. *Επιστημονική Επετηρίδα της Φιλοσοφικής Σχολής, Περίοδος Β', Τεύχος Τμήματος Φιλολογίας [Αριστοτέλειο Πανεπιστήμιο Θεσσαλονίκης]* 4 (1994) 175–193.

²⁴ HUNGER (as footnote 7 above) 2, 66; WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 197, 203; A. KAMBYLIS, Eustathios über Pindars Epinikiendichtung. Ein Kapitel der klassischen Philologie in Byzanz. Hamburg/Göttingen 1991, *passim*; S. LAMPAKES, Ὁ Ευσταθίος Θεσσαλονίκης καὶ ὁ πρόλογος τῶν σχολίων του στὸν Πίνδαρο. *Ἑπετηρὶς τῆς Ἑταιρείας Βοιωτικῶν Μελετῶν* 2 (1995) 1173–1178.

Aristophanes²⁵ and Oppian²⁶), declamations,²⁷ voluminous correspondence etc, no wonder that the outcomes of his literary activities have been and still are analyzed in detail.

The antiquarian interests of both the above mentioned, together with their keen sense of observation of the contemporary realities, resulted in the fact that the two amassed in his works a cornucopia of valuable data which can be profited from by virtually any historian dealing equally with ancient and Byzantine history, including those who focus their research on Greek gastronomy. Consequently, a considerable number of modern authors refer in their works to the body of evidence left by the two Byzantine scholars.²⁸

It is worth underscoring that the history of food is an area of historical research which is becoming more and more popular with academics and the phenomenon encompasses not only the growing interest in ancient gastronomy,²⁹ but also in the history of food in

²⁵ W.J.W. KOSTER, De Eustathio, Tzetza, Moschopulo, Planude Aristophanis commentatoribus. *Mnemosyne*, s. 4/7 (1954) 136–156; IDEM, Aristophane dans la tradition byzantine. *RÉG* 76 (1963) 381–396; WILSON (as footnote 7 above) 202 f.

²⁶ A. R. DYCK, Did Eustathius compose a commentary on Oppian's *Halieutica*? *Classical Philology* 77 (1982) 153 f.

²⁷ Cf. HUNGER (as footnote 7 above) 1, 114 f., 136, 148. Some evaluation of his oratory skills: E. JEFFREYS, Rhetoric in Byzantium, in I. Warthinton (ed.), *A companion to Greek rhetoric*. Malden, Mass./Oxford/Chichester, West Sussex 2010, 174; A.F. STONE, Eustathios and the wedding banquet for Alexios Porphyrogennetos, in W. Mayer/S. Trzcionka (eds.), *Feast, fast or famine. Food and drink in Byzantium*. Brisbane 2005, 33; IDEM, Eustathios of Thessaloniki and the performance of rhetoric: the case for "theatron". *Byzantina* 26 (2006), 7–17, esp. 10. For the latter's further contributions: IDEM, The library of Eustathios of Thessaloniki. Literary sources for Eustathian panegyric. *Byzantinoslavica* 60 (1999) 351–367; IDEM, Eustathian panegyric as a historical source. *JÖB* 51 (2001) 225–258.

²⁸ Eustathios of Thessalonica, however, appears to be much more popular with modern scholars dealing with food history. Cf. examples: J. A. KELHOFFER, The diet of John the Baptist. "Locust and wild honey" in Synoptic and Patristic interpretation. Tübingen 2005, 73; M. GRÜNBART, Store in a cool and dry place. Perishable goods and their preservation in Byzantium, in L. Brubaker, K. Linardou (eds.), *Eat, drink and be merry* (Luke 12:19). Food and wine in Byzantium. In honour of Professor A. A. M. Bryer. Aldershot, Hampshire 2007, 42 f.; J. KODER, Stew and salted meat – opulent normality in the diet of every day?, in: *Eat, drink ... (as before)* 59 f.

²⁹ It is enough to point out to a few examples from the last few years: J. P. ALCOCK, *Food in the ancient world*. Westport, Conn./London 2006, *passim* – cf. M. Kokoszko, review in *Przegląd Historyczny* 100 (2009) 646 f.; S. GRAINGER,

Byzantium. As far as the latter period is concerned, we regard it as especially meaningful that the subject of food and eating habits was included in the renowned publications of an encyclopaedic nature such as *The Oxford dictionary of Byzantium*,³⁰ Alan Davidson's *The Oxford companion to food*³¹ and *Der Lexikon des Mittelsalters*.³² It is also important that the research area in question has been recently recapitulated to become part of *The Oxford handbook of Byzantine Studies*,³³ where a whole chapter was devoted to the diet in Byzantium and eating habits of those times. We hold the opinion that the above-mentioned books prove a growing awareness of the importance of the subject, confirm a tendency which is apparent in publications of the past XXth century (and present in those which have appeared in the XXIst),³⁴ (in a way) ennoble the history of food and, last but not least,

Cooking "Apicius". Roman recipes for modern kitchens. Totnes/Blackawton, Devon 2006, *passim*; M. GRANT, Roman cookery. Ancient recipes for modern kitchens. London 2002, *passim*; J. WILKINS, The boastful chef. The discourse of food in ancient Greek comedy. Oxford 2000. It should be noted that there also appeared a very informative new edition of Apicius: Apicius. A critical edition with an introduction and an English translation of the Latin recipe text Apicius, eds. C. GROCOCK/S. GRAINGER. Blackawton/Totnes, Devon 2006, *passim* – cf. M. KOKOSZKO, review in *Przegląd Historyczny* 100 (2009) 647–649. Another useful edition is the one of Anthimus: Anthimus, De observatione ciborum. On the observance of foods, ed. M. GRANT. Blackawton/Totnes, Devon 2007, *passim*.

³⁰ A. KARPOZILOS/A. KAZHDAN, Diet, *ODB* 1, 621 f.,

³¹ A. DALBY, Byzantium, in A. Davidson (ed.), *The Oxford companion to food*. Oxford 1996, 118 f.

³² München/Zürich 1977–1999, 1–10. An example by KISLINGER, cf. note 34 below.

³³ A. BRYER, Food, wine and feasting, in E. Jeffreys/J. Haldon/R. Cormack (eds.), *The Oxford handbook of Byzantine Studies*. Oxford 2008, 669–676.

³⁴ A manifestation of the new approach are several interesting papers published over the last five years. Cf. A. DALBY, *Flavours of Byzantium*. Blackawton/Totnes, Devon 2003, *passim*; IDEM, *Tastes of Byzantium*. The cuisine of a legendary empire. London/New York 2010, *passim*; D. PAPANIKOLA-BAKIRTZI (ed.), *Food and cooking in Byzantium*. Proceedings of the symposium "On food in Byzantium". Thessaloniki Museum of Byzantine Culture, 4 November 2001. Athens 2005, *passim*; Feast ... (as footnote 27 above), *passim*; Eat, drink ... (as footnote 28 above), *passim* – cf. M. KOKOSZKO, review in *Przegląd Nauk Historycznych* 8/2 (2009) 223–245. They complement fundamental, in this field, works by KOUKOULES (Βυζαντινῶν τρόφιαι καὶ ποτά. *EEBS* 17 (1941) 3–112; IDEM, Βυζαντινῶν βίος καὶ πολιτισμός, 5. Athens 1952, 9–135), KODER's invaluable output (Gemüse in Byzanz. Die Versorgung Konstantinopels mit Frischgemüse im Lichte der Geoponika. Wien 1993, *passim*; IDEM, Fresh vegetables for the capital, in G. Dagron/C. Mango [eds.], *Constantinople and its hinterland*. Cambridge 1995, 49–56; cf. his latest research: Stew [as footnote 28 above] *passim*; IDEM, Η καθημερινή διατροφή στο Βυζάντιο με βάση τις πηγές, in:

skilfully disseminate scholarly research results (not only of benefit to adepts of Byzantium but also to laymen interested in encyclopaedic knowledge).

However, despite the constant development of the studies in food history, the scientific research field still remains virtually boundless and the heritage of Byzantium remains underestimated. This sad conclusion concerns also the extent to which Byzantine sources have been used to elucidate the development of the Mediterranean gastronomy from antiquity up to the Middle Ages.³⁵ The situation of inadequate research and omissions of certain important pieces of information³⁶ has so far concerned also the famous ancient delicacy called *kandaulos/kandylos*, and the present article attempts to fill in this gap in our knowledge.

The name of the dish mentioned by both the patriarch and the bishop of Thessalonica is present in Greek literature in the form of two basic varieties. *Kandylos* (κάνδυλος), i. e. the term used by Photius,³⁷ appears

Food and cooking [as footnote 29 above] 17–30 etc.), Thomas Weber's work (Essen und Trinken in Konstantinopel des 10. Jahrhunderts, nach den Berichten Liutprands von Cremona, in J. KODER/TH. WEBER [eds.], Liutprand von Cremona in Konstantinopel. Untersuchungen zum griechischen Sprachschatz und zu realienkundlichen Aussagen in seinen Werken. Wien 1980, 71–99), Ewald Kislinger's (Φοῦσκα und γλήχον. *JÖB* 34 [1984] 49–53; IDEM, Fischfang und -handel im byzantinischen Reich, *LMA* 4 (1989) 500 f.; IDEM, Les chrétiens d'Orient: règles et réalités alimentaires dans le monde byzantin, in J.-L. Flandrin/M. Montanari [eds.], *Historie de l'alimentation*. Paris 1996, 325–344 etc.) and the results of epistolographic research of Apostolos Karpozilos (Realia in Byzantine Epistolography X–XII c. *BZ* 77 [1984] 20–37; IDEM, Realia in Byzantine Epistolography XIII–XV c. *BZ* 88 [1995] 68–84), to mention but the few.

³⁵ Some remarks on the indisposibility of Byzantine evidence: M. Kokoszko/K. BUSZEWSKA, Pamięć o luksusie antyku w dziełach pisarzy bizantyńskich. Tradycja kuchni greckiej, in B. Iwaszkiewicz-Wronikowska/D. Próchniak/A. Głowa (eds.), *Sympozja kazimierskie poświęcone kulturze świata późnego antyku i wczesnego chrześcijaństwa*, 7. Pamięć i upamiętnienie w epoce późnego antyku. Lublin 2010, 233–240.

³⁶ Only two examples concerning the discussed delicacy. DALBY (Food in the ancient world from A to Z. London/New York 2003, 188), though referring to Photius' lexicon, entirely eliminates Eustathius of Thessalonica's testimony from his entry on *kandaulos*. Moreover, in his publications on the history of food in Byzantium uses the archbishop' letters only through KARPOZILOS (as footnote 34 above). Phyllis Pray BOBER (Art, culture and cuisine. Ancient and medieval gastronomy. Chicago/London 1999, 109), in turn, does not even bother to include either the patriarch's or the bishop's testimonies in her discussion on the dish. Neither does she profit from their works discussing other subjects.

³⁷ Photius, *Lexicon*, κ, κάνδυλος.

also in the works of Aristophanes,³⁸ Euangelus,³⁹ Hesychius,⁴⁰ Cercidas,⁴¹ Menander,⁴² Plutarch,⁴³ Pollux⁴⁴ and in the *Suda*.⁴⁵ On the other hand, the variant which Eustathius of Thessalonica⁴⁶ was familiar with, i.e. *kandaulos* (κάνδauλος), has been preserved in *opera* of Alexis,⁴⁷ Philemon,⁴⁸ Hegesippus of Tarent⁴⁹ and Nicostratus.⁵⁰ Athenaeus of Naucratis records both the above-mentioned versions, which is, of course, a direct result of the very nature of his work.⁵¹ The third option, i.e. *kondylos* (κόνδυλος), has been recorded only once and appears in the scholia to Aristophanes' *Peace*.⁵²

The Photius' lexicon entry is very short, concentrating on the ingredients of *kandaulos/kandylos* as well as giving the name of the author who mentioned the delicacy in his work:

κάνδυλος· σκευασία ὀσποιοικὴ μετὰ γάλακτος καὶ στέατος καὶ μέλιτος ἔνιοι δὲ διὰ κρέως καὶ ἄρτου καὶ τυροῦ. οὕτως Ἀριστοφάνης

³⁸ Aristophanes, *Pax*, 123, in: Aristophane, ed. V. COULON/M. VAN DAELE. 2, Paris 1924. Cf. Scholia in Aristophanis pacem vetera et recentiora Triclinii 123 d, 1 f., in: Scholia in Aristophanem 2.2. Scholia in Vespas, Pacem, Aves et Lysistratam, ed. D. HOLWERDA. Groningen 1982 (hereafter: Scholia in pacem).

³⁹ Athenaei Naucratis dipnosophistarum libri XV, ed. G. KAIBEL. Leipzig/Berlin 1887–90: XIV 644 d–e (52, 11–23 KAIBEL).

⁴⁰ Hesychii Alexandrini lexicon, ed. K. LATTE, II. Copenhagen 1953, 407.

⁴¹ Cercidas, Fragment 18, in: Collectanea Alexandrina. ed. J. U. POWELL. Oxford 1925, col. 2, 15.

⁴² Athenaeus of Naucratis, Deipnosophists XII 517 a (12, 44–46 KAIBEL); Menander, Fragment 397, 10 f., in: Menandri reliquiae selectae. Fragmenta longiora apud alios auctores servata, ed. F. H. SANDBACH. Oxford 1972.

⁴³ Plutarchi quaestiones convivales 664 a, 5, in: Plutarchi moralia, ed. C. HUBERT. Lipsiae 1938, 4 (hereafter: Plutarch, Quaestiones convivales).

⁴⁴ Iulii Pollucis onomasticon, ed. I. BEKKER, Berolini 1846 6, 69.

⁴⁵ Suidae lexicon κ, Κάνδυλος, 303, 1 f., ed. A. ADLER. Lipsiae 1928–1935, 1–4 (hereafter: Suda, Lexicon).

⁴⁶ Eustathii Archiepiscopi Thessalonicensis commentarii ad Homeri Iliadem pertinentes, ed. M. VAN DER VALK. Leiden 1987, 4, 180, v. 16–23 (hereafter: Eustathius of Thessalonica, Commentarii ad Homeri Iliadem).

⁴⁷ Athenaeus of Naucratis, Deipnosophists XII 516 d–f (12, 14–34 KAIBEL).

⁴⁸ Athenaeus of Naucratis, Deipnosophists XII 516 f (12, 35–40 KAIBEL); Philemon, Fragment 60, 3, in: Comicorum Atticorum fragmenta, ed. T. KOCK (hereafter: Comicorum Atticorum fragmenta, Lipsiae 1884, 2).

⁴⁹ Athenaeus of Naucratis, Deipnosophists XII 516 d (12, 11–14, Kaibel).

⁵⁰ Athenaeus of Naucratis, Deipnosophists XII 517 a (12, 41–43 KAIBEL); Nicostratus, Fragment 17, 1–3, in: Comicorum Atticorum fragmenta.

⁵¹ Athenaeus of Naucratis quotes the authors who name the discussed dish.

⁵² Scholia in pacem 123d 1 f.; cf. note 38 above.

kandylos: a dish made from milk, animal fat and honey and, as others claim, from meat, bread and cheese. This is exactly the dish Aristophanes was familiar with. (translation M. K./K. G.)⁵³

The fragment of Eustathius' work referring to the analysed topic is more extensive and apart from a recipe for the dish, it also includes a few remarks regarding its origins:

Νῦν δὲ μνηστέον ἱστορίας δηλούσης ὅτι τε ἡδυπάθειαν οἱ Μήονες, ταὐτὸν δ' εἰπεῖν οἱ Λυδοί, ἐφίλουν, ὅθεν, φασί, καὶ Ἀνακρέων τὸν ἡδυπαθῆ «Λυδοπαθῆ» ἔφη, καὶ ὅτι βρῶμα παρ' αὐτοῖς εὗρητο κάνδαυλος, παρώνυμον ἴσως τῷ παρ' αὐτοῖς τυράννῳ Κανδαύλῃ, καθὰ καὶ ἄλλα τῶν ἐδεσμάτων ἐξ ἐτέρων κυρίων ὀνομάτων ἐφίλουν καλεῖσθαι, ὥς καὶ οἱ Νικόλαιοι. φέρεται οὖν ἐν τοῖς Ἀθηναίου, ὅτι κνηστῷ, οὐ τυρῷ, ἀλλὰ ἄρτῳ καὶ Φρυγίῳ τυρῷ, ἀνήθῳ τε καὶ ζωμῷ πίονι ἐφθοῦ κρέως συνόντος, Λυδικὸν ἐγίνετο ἔδεσμα κάνδαυλος καλούμενος. περὶ οὗ φησιν Ἀλεξίς, ὥς «κάνδαυλον ἐὰν παραθῶσι, προσκατεδῇ τοὺς δακτύλους.

Now it is worth mentioning the tradition saying that the Meonians, i.e. Lydians, loved luxury; that is why Anacreon referred to the people who loved comfort as “the ones with a liking analogous to that of the Lydians.” It is also said that it was they who invented *kandaulos* and this term goes back to the name of their ruler Candaules, as this tribe used to coin their terminology from proper names. This was the case with the so-called *Nikolaioi*; Athenaeus in his work remarks that *kandaulos* was a Lydian dish consisting of grated (not cheese, but) bread, Phrygian cheese, dill (or fennel) and meat in fatty broth. Alexis claimed that “when you are treated to *kanadaulos* (you eat it so vigorously that you never even notice) your fingers are nibbled to the bone”. (translation M. K./K. G.)⁵⁴

The fragment of *Commentari ad Homeri Iliadem* written by Eustathius of Thessalonica clearly indicates that in the Greeks' awareness and, as we interpret it, as late as in Byzantine times, it was quite obvious that *kandaulos/kandylos* had been borrowed by the Hellenes from the Lydians, and the name of this dish was traditionally associated with the

⁵³ Photius, *Lexicon*, κ, κάνδυλος.

⁵⁴ Eustathius of Thessalonica, *Commentarii ad Homeri Iliadem* 4, 180, v. 16–23.

Lydian ruler Candaules,⁵⁵ the predecessor of Gyges.⁵⁶ It is worth adding here that the history of the two rulers, which is only referred to by Eustathius of Thessalonica in the fragment, is very dramatic and is told in detail by Herodotus of Halicarnassus, whose narrative concentrates on the revenge taken by the last Heraclid's., i.e. Gyges', spouse who felt her feelings were hurt by her husband.⁵⁷ It is also worth remembering that the information provided by Eustathius of Thessalonica is the most comprehensive and the pieces of data included in this work have never been questioned by any other author.⁵⁸

Even though neither Photius nor the bishop of Thessalonica explain how *kandaulos/kandylos* appeared in Greek cuisine, it may be suggested that it was the Ionians who acted as intermediaries in this process. This hypothesis is supported by natural closeness of the latter to the Lydians. It is equally worth taking into account that Greek tradition attributed to the Ionians features analogous to the ones which were supposed to characterize Candaules' subjects, i.e. inclination to luxury. This suggestion appears to be confirmed by a fragment of a Menander's comedy in which an affluent Ionian, getting ready to eat this dish, is depicted. Though there is no mention of the costliness of the dish ingredients, the *kandaulos/kandylos* referred to by the playwright must have been an exquisite one because it had an extraordinary property – notably, it enhanced one's love powers, which surely made it look more attractive to those who were affluent enough to afford it and who generally did not share the moderation (at least) postulated by the European Greeks.⁵⁹ What is more, the very Ionian about to consume the delicacy is depicted as a rich person.

Pinpointing the hypothetical date of the creation of *kandaulos/kandylos* was made possible thanks to the completion of excavation works in Sardis, the capital of ancient Lydia, or, more precisely, as a result of the publication of Crawford Greenewalt's analysis of what was

⁵⁵ *ibid.*, 180, v. 19 f.

⁵⁶ Candaules, mentioned above, is also known as Sadyattes I. He ruled over Lydia before 680 BC, cf. P.N. URE, *The origins of tyranny*. Cambridge 1922, 137 f.

⁵⁷ Herodotus, *Histories* I, 7, 3–12, 9.

⁵⁸ Cf. the testimony of Athenaeus of Naucratis, which is later used by the bishop of Thessalonica himself (Λυδικὸν ἐγένετο ἔδεσμα κάνδauλος): Eustathius of Thessalonica, *Commentarii ad Homeri Iliadem* 4, 180, v. 22 f.; Athenaeus of Naucratis, *Deipnosophists* XII 516 c (12, 9 f. KAIBEL).

⁵⁹ Athenaeus of Naucratis, *Deipnosophists* IV 132 e–f (9, 19–30 KAIBEL); XII 517 a (12, 44–46 KAIBEL); Menander, *Fragment* 397, 10 f.

discovered therein,⁶⁰ i.e. 25 deposits (consisting of a pot, a small jug, a mug, a shallow dish and a knife). What is especially significant in the context is that the pots contained bone leftovers which, as it was determined, belonged to puppies less than three months old.

In his book Greenewalt claims that those finds must be interpreted in accordance with select written sources having a connection with the above-mentioned Candaules.⁶¹ Having analysed the data, the scholar argues that the ruler was nicknamed after one of the Lydian gods, notably, the ruler of the underworld, whose name was Candaules (or Candaulas). Subsequently, Greenewalt quotes the tradition recorded by Hipponax⁶² and John Tzetzes⁶³ to remind that the name of the divinity is in fact a telling term and means “he who smothers dogs/puppies”. Finally, Greenewalt concludes by suggesting that the deposits show leftovers after ritual feasts during which the dogs’ meat was prepared for consumption.

Greenewalt’s hypothesis was later developed in a David Harvey’s⁶⁴ article. The author draws our attention to the fact that some reference to dogs is also found in the legendary life of Cyrus the Great, the conqueror of Lydia, which is also to be found in the work of Herodotus of Halicarnassus.⁶⁵ Harvey highlights the fact that Mitrdates’ wife’s name, i.e. the name of young Cyrus’ foster mother, was, in the Median/Persian language, Spako (Σπακώ), which the author of *Histories*

⁶⁰ C. H. GREENEWALT, *Ritual dinners in early historic Sardis*. Berkeley 1976, *passim*.

⁶¹ GREENEWALT (as before) 52–54.

⁶² *kynanches* (κυνάγχης): Hipponax, Fragment 3 a, 1, in: *Iambi et elegi Graeci*, ed. M. L. WEST. Oxford 1971, 1.

⁶³ *skylopniktes* (σκυλοπνίκτης): Ioannis Tzetzae *historiarum variarum chiliades* VI, 482. ed. T. KIESSLING, Hildesheim 1963. Works of Tzetzes were partially analysed for their possible use in a history of gastronomy by DEMOSTHENOUS (The scholar and the partridge: attitudes relating to nutritional goods in the twelfth century from the letters of the scholar John Tzetzes, in: *Feast* [as footnote 27 above] 25–31).

⁶⁴ Lydian specialties, Croesus’ golden baking-woman, and dogs’ dinners, in J. Wilkins/D. Harvey/M. Dobson (eds.), *Food in antiquity*. Exeter 1995, 273–285.

⁶⁵ The author writes that Cyrus was foretold to Astyages, the Median ruler and Cyrus’ grandfather, in a prophetic dream to be the conqueror of the Medes. In order to avoid the fate, Astyages ordered to kill the baby. The sentence was not executed since Harpagus, the man charged with the mission, felt stings of remorse. As a result, the child was taken in by Mitrdates, a herdsman, and his wife Spako, who raised him to the moment when he was recognised by Astyages and was granted a safe return to Astyages’ court: Herodotus, *Histories* I, 107, 1–116, 21.

translates by means of the Greek term Kyno (Κυνώ) – “the bitch”.⁶⁶ Harvey claims that, due to the fact that the finds interpreted by Greenewalt come from the middle of the 6th century B.C., one might risk a conclusion that the sacrificing of young dogs served as a means of averting the danger (imminent in the early 540 s B.C.) of the Persian invasion on Lydia, personified by Cyrus, the young and energetic ruler of the Medians and the Persians.⁶⁷

We do not possess any precise data regarding the period when *kandaulos/kandylos* found its permanent place in European Greece. Since in accordance with our knowledge, the oldest Greek author mentioning this dish was Aristophanes, one may suppose that his 5th century audience tasted this delicacy or at least was aware of its existence. If we are right, one can also conjecture that *kandaulos/kandylos* had been accepted by the Hellenes even before this date. Moreover, one may also come to the conclusion that this dish had not become widely popular by Hellenistic times, since it was the period when many culinary novelties were being introduced to Greek gastronomy and since it was exactly the time when the artistic activity of the majority of the ancient authors mentioning the delicacy was in its heyday.⁶⁸

⁶⁶ Herodotus, *Histories* I, 110, 4–7.

⁶⁷ HARVEY (as footnote 64 above) 283 f. Harvey believes that the date of the conquer of Sardis should be moved to around 544 BC. Issue discussed in J. CARGILL, *The Nabonidus Chronicle and the fall of Lydia*. *American Journal of Ancient History* 2 (1977) 97–116, H. T. WADE-GERY, *Essays in Greek history*. Oxford 1958, 166, footnote 3.

⁶⁸ Regarding the specific character of work of Athenaeus of Naucratis cf. B. BALDWIN, *Athenaeus and his work*. *Acta Classica* 19 (1976) 21–42; M. KOKOSZKO, *Ryby i ich znaczenie w życiu codziennym ludzi późnego antyku i wczesnego Bizancjum (III–VII w.)*. Łódź 2005, 8–10; A. LUKINOVICH, *The play of reflections between literary form and the sympotic theme in the “Deipnosophistae” of Athenaeus*, in O. Murray (ed.), *Symptica. A symposium on the symposium*. Oxford 1994, 263–271. The Hellenistic period was full of culinary novelties, which sometimes created a sort of (either permanent or ephemeral) trends in the culinary art: J. WILKINS/S. HILL, *The sources and sauces of Athenaeus*, in: *Food in antiquity* (as footnote 65 above) 437, note 4. Some of famous at that time delicacies were discussed in M. KOKOSZKO, *Historia kuchni antycznej i bizantyńskiej. Sos karyke (καρύκη)*. Komentarz do Chronografii Michała Pselloza. *Przegląd Nauk Historycznych* 5/2 (2006) 167–178, esp. 170 f. (period of spreading among the Greeks); M. KOKOSZKO/K. GIBEL, *Focjusz a kuchnia grecka czyli kilka słów o abyrtake (ἀβυρτάκη)*. *Vox Patrum* 28/52 (2008) 495–504. Some of them found their place as a permanent element of culture, not only dietetic, but also symbolic: K. GIBEL, *Symbolika jedzenia w wybranych pismach Jana Chryzostoma na przykładzie derywatów od karyke (καρύκη)*, in M.

We know only a sketchy recipe for *kandaulos/kandylos*. This lack of precision is typical of the times when cooks were mostly slaves and gastronomic literature was created by scholarly dilettantes. On the other hand, we are also aware that there existed more than one version of the dish discussed as, according to Athenaeus of Naucratis (quoting Hegesippus of Tarent⁶⁹), there were three separate variations of this delicacy.⁷⁰ Unfortunately, the author of *Deipnosophists* himself mentions⁷¹ only one recipe whose differentiating feature was the addition of meat to *kandaulos/kandylos*. One should at the same time remember that this recipe can be detected later in Byzantine tradition and is quoted in the lexicon compiled by Hesychius, Photius' work, the *Suda* and *Commenatrii* compiled by Eustathius of Thessalonica. The second variation was well-documented as early as in the 2nd century A.D. by Pollux and is subsequently mentioned in the lexicons written by Hesychius, the quoted entry by Photius and in the *Suda*. The preserved data indicates that the second recipe referred to a sweet version of the dish. Regrettably, we do not know anything about the character of the third variety.

We shall start our research into the recipe for *kandaulos/kandylos* from the variation which included meat as one of the ingredients. Photius describes this type as a dish prepared διὰ κρέως καὶ ἄρτου καὶ τυροῦ. It is unfortunate that the patriarch gives no detail about the kind of meat used for this dish by the Greeks. There is little indication that it would come from puppies, although the Greeks did not turn their noses up at this kind of meat.⁷² It is even recommended by author of *De*

Kokoszko/M. J. Leszka (eds.), *Byzantina Europea*. Księga jubileuszowa ofiarowana profesorowi Waldemarowi Ceranowi. Łódź 2007, 121–131; M. Kokoszko, Some technical terms from Greek cuisine in classical and Byzantine literature. *Eos* 95 (2009) 35–50.

⁶⁹ Hegesippus of Tarent is dated to that period: A. DALBY, *Siren feasts. a history of food and gastronomy in Greece*. London 1996, 111; IDEM, *Food* (as footnote 36 above) 174. Harvey (as footnote 64 above) 277 does not date him at all.

⁷⁰ Athenaeus of Naucratis, *Deipnosophists* XII 516 c (12, 10 KAIBEL).

⁷¹ After the above-mentioned Hegesippus of Tarent.

⁷² Regarding the issue of dogs used as food, cf. J. ROY, *The consumption of dog-meat in classical Greece*, in: C. Mee/J. Renard (eds.), *Cooking up the past. Food and culinary practices in the Neolithic and Bronze Age Aegean*. Oxford 2007, 342–353, esp. 350; F. J. SIMOONS, *Eat not this flesh. Food avoidances from prehistory to the present*. Madison/London 1994, 200–252, esp. 223–227, 232–236 (Greek world), 246 (regarding the issue of interpretation of the findings from Sardis); J. WILKINS/S. HILL, *Food in the ancient world*, Malden, Mass./Oxford 2006, 144.

*morbis popularibus*⁷³ as well as mentioned by Galen in *De alimentorum facultatibus*.⁷⁴ Since, however, there is no mention in Greek culinary and medical literature that dog meat was a delicacy,⁷⁵ let us formulate a hypothesis claiming that, by the time the dish established itself in the Greek culinary art, dogs had been replaced, for instance, by other small mammals. The conjecture finds corroboration in the data provided by Hesychius, who in his lexicon stated that hare meat was used as an ingredient of the dish discussed (διὰ λαγῶν).⁷⁶

Hegesippus' recipe (later repeated almost verbatim by Eustathius of Thessalonica) states that the meat was cooked or stewed before being added to the dish. The statement is corroborated by the fact that the recipe for *kandaulos/kandylos* included stock or gravy, *dzomos* (ζωμός), i.e. a condiment which must have been a result of cooking the meat. We can also conjecture that the meat was not lean since the *dzomos* is referred to as "fatty", *pion* (πίων).⁷⁷ Photius also claims that animal fat ([μετὰ] στέατος) was used in *kandaulos/kandylos*, but he mentions it only in the hypothetical recipe for the sweet variety. Therefore, we are unable to determine whether the analogous procedure of adding *stear* equally applied to the meat version of this dish.

All the authors inform that an adequate amount of Phrygian cheese was also added to *kandaulos/kandylos*. The Phrygian cheese was a

⁷³ De morbis popularibus (Epidemiae) VII, 1, 62, 1–12, in: Œuvres complètes d'Hippocrate, ed. E. LITRE. Paris 1846, 5. Cf. Roy (as footnote 72 above) 347 f.

⁷⁴ Galeni de alimentorum facultatibus libri 664, 16–665, 5, in: Claudii Galeni opera omnia, ed. D.C.G. KÜHN. Lipsiae 1823, 6 (hereafter: Galen, De alimentorum facultatibus).

⁷⁵ Cf. Roy's ([as footnote 72 above] 348–350) conclusions.

⁷⁶ Hesychii Alexandrini lexicon (as footnote 40 above), II 407. On meat varieties and their role in the Byzantine diet: J.-C. CHEYNET, La valeur marchande des produits alimentaires dans l'Empire byzantin, in: Food and cooking (as footnote 29 above) 35 f., 40 f.; DALBY, Flavours (as footnote 34 above) 69–71; IDEM, Tastes (as footnote 34 above) 69–71; KODER, Stew (as footnote 28 above), *passim*, esp. 59–61, 72; IDEM, Η καθημερινή διατροφή (as footnote 34 above), 21 f.; M. KOKOSZKO, Kuchnia i dietetyka późnego antyku oraz Bizancjum. Kilka uwag na temat spożycia, sporządzania, przyrządzania, wartości dietetycznych i zastosowań medycznych konserw rybnych w antycznej i bizantyńskiej literaturze greckiej. *Acta Universitatis Lodziensis, Folia Historica* 80 (2005) 7–25; M. KOKOSZKO/Ł. ERLICH, Rola mięsa w diecie późnego antyku i wczesnego Bizancjum na podstawie wybranych źródeł literackich. Część I. Zwierzęta hodowlane w sztuce kulinarnej oraz teorii dietetycznej. *Piotrkowskie Zeszyty Historyczne* 12 (2011) 18–33; KOUKOULES, Βυζαντινῶν τρόποι (as footnote 34 above) 22–40; IDEM, Βυζαντινῶν βίος (as footnote 34 above) 5, 47–66.

⁷⁷ It is also probable that olive oil might have been added to the stock.

special variety produced from a mixture of donkey and horse mares' milk and the product was renowned enough to be fleetingly mentioned by Aristotle himself in his *Historia Animalium*.⁷⁸ Some modern authors have speculated that the end-product of Greek cheese-makers had an intensive aroma and savoury taste and, therefore, it has been suggested that it was similar to the famous English Stilton.⁷⁹ However, we have no evidence whatsoever that this analogy is correct. One may also speculate that the cheese was added in chunks as this is the best procedure to melt it down and mix homogenously with other liquid ingredients of *kandaulos/kandylos*. John Wilkins and Shaun Hill,⁸⁰ the famous connoisseurs of Greek gastronomy and specialists in the field, seem to be in favour of this idea. One must suppose that the liquefied cheese ensured the silky texture of the gravy and, if salted,⁸¹ it would also provide this dish with its final flavour.

The preserved recipes clearly show that bread was a vital ingredient of this dish.⁸² The fact of using this condiment ([ἐξ] κνηστοῦ ἄρτου) is

⁷⁸ Aristote, *Historia animalium* 552 a 27–29. DALBY, Food (as footnote 36 above) 80; V. ESSEX CHEKE, The story of cheese-making in Britain. London 1959, 70; P.F. FOX/P. L.H. MCSWEENEY, Cheese. An overview, in P. F. Fox/P.L.H. McSweeney/T.M. Cogan/T.P. Guinee (eds.), Cheese. Chemistry, physics and microbiology. 1. General aspects. Amsterdam etc. 2004, 1–18; R. SCOTT/R. K. ROBINSON/R. A. WILBEY, Cheesemaking practice. New York 1998, 2.

⁷⁹ J. DORAN, Table traits, with something on them. Edinburgh/Dublin 1859, 33. Stilton is a famous kind of white or blue cheese, produced from non-skimmed milk in Melton Mowbray and the surrounding areas (Leicestershire, Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire). Regarding such cheese, cf. A. DAVIDSON, Stilton, in: Oxford companion (as footnote 31 above) 754 f.; T. HICKMAN, The history of Stilton cheese. Stroud 1996, *passim*.

⁸⁰ Compare a contemporary recipe, based on tradition: WILKINS/HILL, Food (as footnote 72 above) 278.

⁸¹ DALBY, Food (as footnote 36 above) 80 f. On the role of cheese in the Byzantine diet IDEM, Flavours (as footnote 34 above) 72–74; IDEM, Tastes (as footnote 34 above) 72–74; KODER, Η καθημερινή διατροφή (as footnote 34 above) 20 f.; KOUKOULES, Βυζαντινὼν τρόφι (as footnote 34 above) 6–11; IDEM, Βυζαντινὼν βίος (as footnote 34 above) 5, 31–34 etc. On salt, G. C. MANIATIS, Organization and modus operandi of the Byzantine salt monopoly. BZ 102 (2009) 662–696.

⁸² Bread was definitely one of the Byzantine staples. On bread and its kinds in the Byzantine diet –CHEYNET, La valeur (as footnote 76 above) 36–39; DALBY, Flavours (as footnote 34 above) 77–81; IDEM, Tastes (as footnote 34 above) 77–81; Y. HIRSCHFELD, The importance of bread in the diet of monks in the Judean Desert. Byz 66 (1996) 143–155; KODER, Stew (as footnote 28 above) 65–67, 72; IDEM, Η καθημερινή διατροφή (as footnote 34 above) 19 f.; KOUKOULES, Βυζαντινὼν τρόφι (as footnote 34 above) 7; IDEM, Βυζαντινὼν βίος (as footnote 34 above) 5, 12–31 etc.

confirmed by Hegesippus' tradition,⁸³ and it was Eustathius of Thessalonica himself who very pointedly highlighted this ingredient (ὅτι κνηστῶ, οὐ τυρῶ, ἀλλὰ ἄρτω) as well.⁸⁴ The very wording of his narrative suggests that the product was ground or grated. However, it is worth bearing in mind that there existed a particular kind of bread called *knestos* (κνηστός), which was mentioned by Artemidorus of Ephesus.⁸⁵ Still, the data we possess is too limited to definitely confirm that the Artemidorus' *knestos artos* was exactly the variety to have been exclusively utilised in the dish discussed.

It is really difficult to define the role played by this ingredient in the dish. Two basic facts may be assumed. Firstly, we may interpret its role as a simple thickening agent. The premise for such an interpretation is adding to the *kandaulos/kandylos* sweet version, as it was described by Pollux, an ingredient called *amylum* (ἄμυλον),⁸⁶ i.e. starch,⁸⁷ which is a substance thickening a dish but not altering its final taste or texture.⁸⁸ In accordance with this hypothesis, bread and *amylum* would have been ingredients of an analogous property, i.e. thickeners. On making such an assumption, one may come to a further conclusion that the dish, after the grated bread having been added to it, simmered until its uniform consistency was achieved or was baked in a *kribanon* (κρίβανον), an *ipnos* (ἱπνός) or in a dish covered with hot charcoal (*thermospodium/cinis calidus*).⁸⁹ Here we must mention one more thing – if that was the

⁸³ Athenaeus of Naucratis, *Deipnosophists* XII 516 d (12, 13 KAIBEL).

⁸⁴ Eustathius of Thessalonica, *Commentarii ad Homeri Iliadem* 4, 180, v. 21.

⁸⁵ Athenaeus of Naucratis, *Deipnosophists* III 111 d (76, 25–26 KAIBEL). Also cf. Hesychii Alexandrini lexicon (as footnote 40 above) II, 493.

⁸⁶ Galen was interested in the properties of *amylum* (*De alimentorum facultatibus* 500, 4–16).

⁸⁷ DALBY, *Food* (as footnote 36 above) 349.

⁸⁸ CH. GROCOCK/S. GRAINGER, A glossary to Apicius, in: *Apicius* (as footnote 29 above) 330 f.; D.L. THURMAND, A handbook of food processing in classical Rome. For her bounty no in winter. Leiden/Boston 2006, 166, 171.

⁸⁹ Pots made of porous clay burnt frequently, thus spoiling the taste of dishes. What is more, when heated on a standard hearth, the pots received heat only from below, which resulted in frequent burning of dense ingredients located at the bottom of the pot. Roasting in an oven would result in a more even heating of the dish. Such idea is proposed by Hesychius, who defines *kandaulos/kandylos* by using a term *pemma edodimon* (πέμμα ἐδόδιμον): Hesychii Alexandrini lexicon (as footnote 40 above); GROCOCK/GRAINGER, as footnote 89 above, 362. Roasting methods compared in A. CUBBERLEY, Bread-baking in Ancient Italy. Clibanus and sub testu in the Roman world: Hereinafter thoughts, in: *Food in Antiquity* (as footnote 64 above) 55–68; R. I. CURTIS, Ancient food technology. Leiden/Boston/Köln 2001, 368 f.; J. FRAYN, Home Baking in Roman Italy.

case, the bread used for *kandaulos/kandylos* must have been kneaded from finely ground flour⁹⁰ whose characteristic (including flavour) was fairly neutral. On the other hand, it is equally possible that *amylum* was added only to the sweet variety of *kandaulos/kandylos*, and its meaty type included considerably tangible bread particles, which, while releasing starch, only additionally thickened the entire consistency.⁹¹ Surely, taking into account the second case, a sort of bread made of coarsely ground grain would have been a much better option for an ancient or Byzantine cook.⁹²

The preserved recipes show that the main spice added to *kandaulos/kandylos* was *anethon* (ἄνηθον). However, we possess no specifications regarding its amount and form. For instance, we do not know which parts of this plant were used – seeds or green parts (stalks and leaves) or both. Still, either of those would have caused different gustatory effects. Strictly speaking, we cannot even determine whether the recipe included dill (*Anethum graveolens*)⁹³ or fennel (*Foeniculum vulgare*).⁹⁴

Antiquity 52 (1978) 28–33; J. LIVERSIDGE, Roman kitchens and cooking utensils, in B. Flower/E. Rosenbaum (eds.), *The Roman cookery book. A critical translation of “The art of cooking” by Apicius for use in the study and the kitchen.* London/Toronto/Wellington/Sydney 1958, 29–38. On the characteristics of Byzantine pottery cf. J. VROOM, Late antique pottery, settlement and trade in the East Mediterranean. A preliminary comparison of ceramics from Limyra (Lycia) and Beotia, in W. Bowden/L. Lavan/C. Machado (eds.), *Recent research on the late antique countryside.* Leiden 2004, 281–331, esp. 297–303, 316–319 (coarse wares); EADEM, Medieval ceramics and the archaeology of consumption in eastern Anatolia, in T. Vorderstrasse/J. Roodenberg (eds.), *Archaeology of the countryside in medieval Anatolia.* Leiden 2009, 235–258. On Byzantine pottery and its kitchen use: M. L. RAUTMAN, *The daily life in the Byzantine Empire.* Westport, Conn. 2006, 188–192.

⁹⁰ It must have been wheat flour, which contains a high dose of gluten.

⁹¹ Barley bread might also have been an option in this case.

⁹² K.D. WHITE, Cereals, Bread and Milling in the Roman World, in: *Food in Antiquity* (as footnote 64 above) 38–43, esp. 41 f. Recently, an interesting and informative study discussing the processing of grain products was presented by Dionysios STATHAKOPOULOS: *Between the field and the palate: how agricultural products were processed into food*, in: *Eat, drink ...* (as footnote 27 above) 27–38.

⁹³ On the herb A. DALBY, *Dangerous tastes. The story of spices.* London 2002, 110, 128; KODER, *Gemüse* (as footnote 34 above) 41 f.; KOUKOULES, Βυζαντινῶν τρόφιαι (as footnote 34 above) 17; RAUTMAN (as footnote 89 above) 76; M. TOUSSAINT-SAMAT, *Histoire de la nourriture naturelle et morale.* Paris 1997, 647.

⁹⁴ On the herb DALBY, *Dangerous* (as footnote 93 above) 52, 58, 105, 111, 128; IDEM, *Flavours* (as footnote 34 above) 78, 158; KOUKOULES, Βυζαντινῶν τρόφιαι

Both these plants originated in Central Asia, and, having spread in Asia Minor and Europe,⁹⁵ were popular and often used as substitutes for the purpose of the Greek culinary art. Both, however, could have had a slightly different effect upon the final flavour of the dish. The first variety would have added freshness to the aroma of the delicacy and made its taste slightly sweet and at the same time spicy, while the other would have provided the dish with a liquorice-like aroma and ensured a higher intensity of gustatory experience. It is worth mentioning here that Wilkins and Hill suggest using anise (*Pimpinella anisum*) in the dish, since it would have additionally enhanced the latter effect.⁹⁶

The sweet variety of *kandaulos/kandylos* is described in the literature with similar precision, and the most comprehensive source of knowledge regarding this variant of the dish is Julius Pollux's *Onomasticon*. The lexicographer states that this delicacy was made from cheese ([ἐκ] τυροῦ), milk ([ἐκ] γάλακτος),⁹⁷ starch (ἐξ ἀμύλου) and honey ([ἐκ] μέλιτος).⁹⁸ One may surmise that also Phrygian cheese⁹⁹ was used, as no author mentions any other variety. The cheese was surely melted in hot milk while the starch served as an additional thickening agent. Finally, honey made the dish taste sweet. It is worth stressing that almost all of

(as footnote 34 above) 17; RAUTMAN (as footnote 89 above) 76, 96, 104; TOUSSAINT-SAMAT (as in note 93 above) 648.

⁹⁵ DALBY, Food (as footnote 36 above) 116 f.

⁹⁶ WILKINS/HILL, Food in the ancient (as footnote 72 above) 278. On herbs (and spices) in the Byzantine diet: DALBY, Flavours (as footnote 34 above), 38–52; IDEM, Tastes (as footnote 34 above) 38–52; ΚΟΥΚΟΥΛΕΣ, Βυζαντινῶν τρόφαι (as footnote 34 above) 15–20, esp. 16 f.; IDEM, Βυζαντινῶν βίος (as footnote 34 above) 5, 40–46, esp. 42–44 etc.

⁹⁷ Fresh milk was a food product not easy to obtain. It would go off easily without refrigeration and thereby it did not lend itself to long-distance transport. Consequently, it was usually stored in the form of (first and foremost) cheese (and also butter): RAUTMAN (as footnote 89 above) 46, 184 f.; DALBY, Flavours (as footnote 34 above) 72; IDEM, Tastes (as footnote 34 above) 72, maintains that Byzantine dieticians introduced a new and more favorable dietetic evaluation of the product. Also on milk: ΚΟΥΚΟΥΛΕΣ, Βυζαντινῶν τρόφαι (as footnote 35 above) 95; IDEM, Βυζαντινῶν βίος (as footnote 35 above) 5, 121 f.

⁹⁸ Honey was one of the most popular sweeteners of both Antiquity and Byzantium. It is also known to have been used in a number of beverages. On its role in Antiquity E. CRANE, The archeology of beekeeping. London 1983; EADEM, The world history of beekeeping and honey hunting, London 1999. On its role in Byzantium DALBY, Flavours (as footnote 34 above), 213; IDEM, Tastes (as footnote 34 above) 213; ΚΟΥΚΟΥΛΕΣ, Βυζαντινῶν τρόφαι (as footnote 34 above) 86 f.; IDEM, Βυζαντινῶν βίος (as footnote 34 above) 5, 112 f.; RAUTMAN (as footnote 89 above) 49, 52, 103 f.

⁹⁹ It is probable, however, that it could have been any other kind of cheese.

the above-mentioned ingredients could also be later found in various configurations in Byzantine sources. Hesychius preserved a recipe enlisting honey, cheese and milk;¹⁰⁰ Photius recorded milk and honey and also added animal fat, *stear*;¹⁰¹ the *Suda*, however, mentions only honey and milk.¹⁰²

We do not know the final shape of the dish, or dishes. The ingredients suggest that the meat variety was semi-liquid and similar to modern stew or fricasee. Hesychius stated that *kandaulos/kandylos* was a kind of pastry (pie) and in order to precisely depict this concept, he used the term *pemma* (πέμμα).¹⁰³ This data is complemented by the scholia to *Peace*, whose author called the dish a kind of pastry, i.e. *eidos plakountos* (εἶδος ... πλακοῦντος).¹⁰⁴ Aristophanes suggests that *kandaulos/kandylos* was served with bread.¹⁰⁵ This can be explained by the fact that this dish had never been a staple part of the diet but a slightly exotic *opson* (ὄψον), i.e. an addition to the basic foodstuffs. However, it is difficult to state whether the habit of serving this dish with bread concerned all the varieties of the delicacy discussed.¹⁰⁶ We may conjecture that the final appearance of the sweet variety was similar to modern blancmange or thick custard. It is also possible that, after cooling down, starch and fat¹⁰⁷ made the second variety of *kandaulos/kandylos* hard enough to slice it or cut into portions.

Common reports of ancient¹⁰⁸ and Byzantine¹⁰⁹ authors clearly show that *kandaulos/kandylos* was a sophisticated and exquisite dish. This

¹⁰⁰ διὰ... γάλακτος καὶ τυροῦ καὶ μέλιτος...: Hesychii Alexandrini lexicon (as footnote 40 above).

¹⁰¹ μετὰ γάλακτος καὶ στέατος καὶ μέλιτος: Photius, Lexicon, κ, κάνδυλος. Animal fat was widely used in the production of sausages, see ΚΟΥΚΟΥΛΕΣ, Βυζαντινῶν βίος (as footnote 34 above) 5, 59; RAUTMAN (as footnote 89 above) 96, 185.

¹⁰² ...διὰ μέλιτος καὶ γάλακτος...: Suda, Lexicon, κ, Κάνδυλος, 303, 1.

¹⁰³ Hesychii Alexandrini lexicon (as footnote 40 above). The explanation of the lexicographer is too brief for unequivocal conclusions. In our opinion, the term itself may point to the fact that all the ingredients of the dish were subjected to high temperature (for example, in a kind of an oven or in a *kribanon* – compare note 89 above).

¹⁰⁴ Scholia in pacem 123d2. Such interpretation is provided also by DALBY, Food (as footnote 37 above) 188.

¹⁰⁵ Aristophanes, Pax 123.

¹⁰⁶ Such doubt concerns also the sweet variety.

¹⁰⁷ Especially fat mentioned by Photius. Cf. DALBY, Food (as footnote 36 above) 349.

¹⁰⁸ Cf. contexts which mention *kandaulos*.

¹⁰⁹ Cf. the opinion of Eustathius of Thessalonica.

classification was not determined by high prices of its ingredients¹¹⁰ but, as one may suppose, by its Eastern origin and overall Greek culinary tradition. In any case, this delicacy is always mentioned in the context of lavish feasts or preparations for such.¹¹¹ The moralists surely noticed the risks coming from its consumption. Even Menander, as we have demonstrated above, included it in the list of aphrodisiacs, and Plutarch located it, next to *abyrtake* (ἀβυρτάκη) and *karyke* (καρύκη), in the catalogue of dishes, being a contradiction to the Greek gastronomic and national tradition.¹¹² This opinion was so deeply-rooted in the Greek awareness that even Eustathius of Thessalonica, as it has been alluded to, still regarded *kandaulos/kandylos* as a symbol of luxury and gluttony invariably associated with culinary imports from the East.¹¹³

As far as the Byzantine period is concerned, information regarding the consumption of *kandaulos/kandylos* is disappointingly scarce. There is no direct data available which testifies to its important role in the diet. Therefore, we have to make do with circumstantial evidence provided in the lexicographers' entries and literary comments. In our opinion, they prove at least the everlasting interest in this delicacy. The dish itself would not have been mentioned if the term *kandaulos/kandylos* had only been a dead word and the taste or aroma of this delicacy had long been forgotten. There were still courts, including the imperial one,¹¹⁴ which promoted the consumption of luxurious foodstuffs that were

¹¹⁰ Undoubtedly, the most luxurious ingredient was meat. Reasons for the fact in Antiquity and Byzantium: F. FROST, Sausage and meat preservation in antiquity. *GRBS* 40 (1999) 241–252. On the Byzantines' preference for the food KODER, Stew (as footnote 29 above) *passim*, esp. 72.

¹¹¹ For example, Euangelus (cf. the above-mentioned fragment) and Philemon (cf. the above-mentioned fragment).

¹¹² Plutarch, *Quaestiones convivales* 644 b, 5–11. Cf. WILKINS, The boastful chef (as footnote 29 above) 265–267.

¹¹³ It is worth adding that the symbolic meaning of eating still remains a rewarding area of scientific study, the proof of which are recently published works of Katarzyna GIBEL (as footnote 68 above, *passim*), A. EASTMOND/L. JAMES, Eat, drink ... and pay the price, in: Eat, drink ... (as footnote 28 above) 175–189), and M.B. CUNNINGHAM, Divine banquet: the Theotokos as a source of spiritual nourishment, *ibid.* 235–244.

¹¹⁴ Some circumstantial evidence leads to the Macedonian court, especially to the kitchen of emperor Constantine VIII, who was not only a gourmet but also an amateur cook, at least according to Psellus. Cf. Michael Psellos, *Chronography* II, 7, 4 (RENAULD). The exact issue was mentioned in KOKOSZKO, *Historia* (as footnote 68 above), 167 f., 177 f.

regarded as the indicators of the social status and power.¹¹⁵ Even if it had not been the case, but for the Byzantium knowledge about *kandaulos/kandylos*, the history of the Greek cuisine would be much poorer now.

Abstract

The present article analyzes Photius' *Lexicon* and Eustathius of Thessalonica's *Commentarii ad Homeri Iliadem* in order to trace the history and reconstruct the recipe of a dish called *kandaulos/kandylos*. It was a Greek delicacy, which appears to have been developed in Lydia before the middle of the VI th c. B.C. It is known to have been named after king Candaules, who ruled the Lydian territory in the VII th c. B.C. The dish was (via the Ionians) borrowed by the Helens and established itself in Greece sometime in the V th c. B.C. It became popular in the Hellenistic period

The testimony provided by Photius and Eustathius of Thessalonica contributes to our better knowledge of two varieties of *kandaulos/kandylos*. The first was savoury and consisted of cooked meat, stock, Phrygian cheese, breadcrumbs and dill (or fennel). The other included milk, animal fat, cheese and honey. The dish is reported to have been costly, prestigious and indicated the social status of those who would eat it.

Though there is much evidence suggesting its popularity in antiquity, we lack any solid proof that *kandaulos/kandylos* was eaten in Byzantine times. On the other hand, Byzantine authors preserved the most detailed literary data on the delicacy.

¹¹⁵ Recently, an informative analysis of emperor's feast as a representation of imperial authority has been published by S. MALMBERG, Dazzling dining: banquets as an expression of imperial legitimacy, in: *Eat, drink ...* (as footnote 28 above) 75–89).

A RHETORICAL DECLAMATION OF SOPHONIAS THE MONK AND PARAPHRAST

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Codex Marcianus Graecus 266 contains a μελέτη written in the character of Paul before the Areopagus and attributed to the learned monk Sophonias. This previously unpublished text is valuable both as an example of Palaiologan rhetoric and as additional testimony to the elusive Sophonias, who, in our opinion, is the same as the Sophonias to whom paraphrases of Aristotelian works are ascribed. The declamation is particularly noteworthy for its Platonic allusions. We divide our article into the following parts: a brief description of the manuscript and of the text; a presentation of the evidence for Sophonias; a few concluding observations; some remarks on the edition, then the edition itself along with an English translation which we hope will be of use to other scholars.¹

The Manuscript Context

The codex is described in Mioni's catalogue, vol. 1 pp. 383–386.² Written on paper of “mediocre” quality, it is dated to the 14th century. Apparently two different hands wrote the first (ff. 1–164v) and second (ff. 165–203v) parts, respectively. The first part contains the following texts: (1) Michael Psellos, *De omnifaria doctrina*, ff. 6–46; (2) John Philoponos, *In Aristotelis De anima commentaria*, ff. 62–89v; (3) Gregory of Nyssa, *De hominis opificio*, ff. 94–99v; 4) Nemesius of Emesa, *De natura hominis*, ff. 142–147v; (5) *Excerpta philosophica et*

¹ This article is the joint work of the two authors, based on Mr. Sjörs' senior thesis in Greek at Uppsala under Dr. Searby's supervision. The responsibility for the introduction and translation primarily belongs to Searby; for the Greek text, primarily to Sjörs; but both have contributed to the article as a whole. The authors are grateful for the viewpoints of colleagues in both Uppsala and Stockholm, especially Eric Cullhed, Dimitrios Iordanoglou, Mikael Johansson, David Westberg, Alessandra Bucossi and (not least) Börje Bydén as well as to Filippomaria Pontani in Venice. We wish to express a debt of gratitude to the helpful criticisms of the two anonymous peer reviewers for *BZ*, especially to the German reader who suggested specific improvements to the Greek text and translation.

² E. MIONI, *Bibliothecae Divi Marci Venetiarum codices Graeci manuscripti* vol. 1, Venice 1981.

theologica,³ ff. 149–154v; (6) Sophonias, *Declamatio quam Paulus Athenis habuit ad populum*, ff. 156–161r (161v is empty); (7) an anonymous chronicle *ab Adamo usque ad Constantinopolim conditam*, f. 162r (162v is empty). The second part contains: (8) Nikephoros Kallistos Xanthopoulos, *Synopsis S. Scripturae*, ff. 163–164v; (9) Michael Psellos, *Compendium legum versibus iambis et politicis*, ff. 165–192v; (10) *Synopsis rhetoricae versibus politicis*, ff. 194–203v; (11) *Praeceptiones medicae tres* by Konstantinos Holobolos who wrote on the same page (f. 211v): Τὸ παρὸν βιβλίον κτῆμα τυγχάνει Κωνσταντίνου ἱατροῦ Ὀλοβόλου. Cardinal Bessarion, who subsequently owned the codex, described the contents of the first part as *Pselli et aliorum in philosophiam ac de legibus* (Mioni p. 384). Since our text belongs to the first part which, apart from the very brief (7), only contains philosophical or theological works, Sophonias' μελέτη seems to have been understood by the collector and/or copyist primarily as a philosophical text.⁴

The text is written in a restrained cursive style by a single, diligent hand. Definite articles, as well as nominal endings in their oblique form, are almost exclusively abbreviated through suspension. *Nomina sacra* are used as a norm. *Iota subscriptum* is absent. Breathings and accents are indicated throughout accurately. Use of double accents is limited and inconsistent.⁵ The scribe makes liberal use of punctuation: upper, medial and lower points; commas; question-marks (“semicolons”). The conventions of Byzantine punctuation as well as modern editorial praxis in its regard remain topics of discussion among scholars.⁶ In our edition

³ Excerpts from Gregory of Nyssa, Didymus, Theodoretus, Irenaeus, Polycrates and Philo.

⁴ Rhetorical and literary forms were often “employed for philosophical purposes by Byzantine writers”, for which see the entry by K. IERODIAKONOU and B. BYDÉN on “Byzantine Philosophy” first published Sept. 8, 2008, in the on-line *Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (<http://plato.stanford.edu>) 1.2 where an instructive summary of the literary forms of Byzantine philosophy is given.

⁵ See examples in the following lines: f. 158v5 (ἄν), f. 160r20 (μὲν), f. 160v20 (ἄν). On the enigmatic use of these accents, see K. ΟΙΚΟΝΟΜΑΚΟΣ, ΑΓΑΘΟΝ ΤΟ ΔΙΤΟΝΕΙΝ? *Byzantion* 75 (2005) 295–309.

⁶ For recent discussions, see D. R. REINSCH, Stixis und Hören, in B. Atsalos/N. Tsironi (eds.), *Actes du VIe Colloque International de Paléographie Grecque* (Drama, 21–27 Septembre 2003), tom. 1. Athens 2008, 259–269; and C. LAGA, “La ponctuation (dont on ne doit pas se soucier)”, in B. Janssens/B. Roosen/P. van Deun (eds.), *Philomathestatos. Studies in Greek and Byzantine Texts presented to Jacques Noret for his Sixty-Fifth Birthday*. Leuven/Paris/Dudley, MA 2004, 359–375.

(as we explain below) we have made a moderate effort to retain the punctuation of the manuscript but changed it when we judged it to be misleading to modern readers. However, one should bear in mind that “misleading” punctuation may reflect original pauses in oral delivery, if in fact this declamation was at one point delivered before an audience.⁷

The Declamation

The heading in the manuscript denotes our text as a μελέτη, that is, a rhetorical declamation. As far as we are aware, this is the only free-standing elaboration in Greek of Saint Paul’s famous discourse in Athens. Declamations of this kind, aiming at a classical style but departing from customary classical figures, based rather on passages in the New Testament or other specifically Christian subjects, are surprisingly few and late. The earliest appears to be Nikephoros Basilakes in the 12th century who offers numerous examples of biblically based *ethopoeiae* in his *Progymnasmata*,⁸ but none of these is quite comparable to Sophonias’ composition, especially not in length.⁹ Michael Italikos, also writing in the 12th century, composed an *ekphrasis* on the resurrection of Christ and a prologue to the story of Susanna. In what we assume to be Sophonias’ own time, we find a use of Christian material for rhetorical composition in the *progymnasmata* composed by Konstantinos Akropolites.¹⁰ All these “textbook” examples are considerably shorter than our declamation.

⁷ D. R. Reinsch (as in note 6 above) traces the oral performance of a speech of Eustathios through the punctuation. In note 29 below we specify some points at which we removed pauses (commas) indicated in the ms. These commas seem to indicate more emphasis than any kind of break so that the words so marked belong to what follows rather than to what precedes them – confusing to us but perhaps helpful in oral delivery, though we have not yet understood the scribe’s (or, if original, the author’s) method.

⁸ See *ethopoeiae* nos. 30–56 in A. PIGNANI, Niceforo Basilace. *Progimnasmata e monodie. Byzantina et neo-hellenica neapolitana*, 10. Naples 1983.

⁹ The longest of Basilakes’ *ethopoeiae* (no. 42) is that on Mary (Theotokos) receiving the body of her dead son Jesus before burial. It is approximately 3120 characters long (without spaces), whereas our text is approximately 26,500.

¹⁰ On Basilakes, Italikos and Akropolites, cf. C. N. CONSTANTINIDES, *Higher Education in Byzantium in the Thirteenth and Early Fourteenth Centuries* (1204 – ca. 1310). *Texts and Studies of the History of Cyprus*, 11. Nicosia 1982, 100 f. who gives more references. On Basilakes, see also R. F. HOCK/E. N. O’NEIL, *The Chria in Ancient Rhetoric*, vol. 2. Leiden 2002, 280–307; they also give

The setting of the speech is provided by *Acts* ch. 17. Sophonias interprets v. 19 (“they brought him to the Areopagus”) as meaning that Paul was brought to the court of the Areopagus, rather than merely to the rock itself.¹¹ Basic building blocks of the piece include the two main speeches of Paul in *Acts* (17:15–34 and 21:39–22:21), Plato’s *Apology of Socrates* as well as various Pauline epistles (Romans, I Corinthians, Galatians, Hebrews, etc) and certain other biblical writings (minor use of the gospels, *Apocalypse* and the *OT*). Numerous passages of the Fathers (especially Gregory Nazianzen and, appropriately, ps.-Dionysios the Areopagite) as well as of both Christian and non-Christian secular writers (e.g. ps.-Aristotle, Proklos) are recognizable sources. The philosophical vocabulary is notably neo-Platonic in [15] and [37]. Though only Plato is cited by name in introducing a quotation from the *Statesman* [45], the author does make it clear in a couple of other instances that he is quoting anonymously from ps.-Aristotle in [37] and Plato’s *Parmenides* in [34]. By the nature of the speech, Sophonias cannot cite by name authors later than Paul, but he does manage to have his Paul quote himself at one point [47]. Most of the points touched on in Paul’s discourse in *Acts* 17 recur in the declamation, although not the most famous one: Sophonias oddly makes no mention of *Agnostos Theos*.

The speech can be divided into four parts: the προοίμιον in [1–9], based in large measure on the beginning of Plato’s *Apology of Socrates*; the διήγησις in [9–24], giving Paul’s personal history and the essentials of the gospel message (Incarnation, Crucifixion, Resurrection), introducing even technical terminology in [15] that sets the tone for the coming philosophical arguments;¹² the πίστις in [25–75] where the main arguments for accepting Paul’s position are found, ending on a note of mystical theology in [70–75];¹³ finally, the ἐπίλογος in [76–82], urging the listeners to distinguish between the Creator and creation and alluding to the eucharist in contrast to perishable mortal bread. The

translations of other sample speeches based on other Christian material (such as maxims from the Fathers).

¹¹ There is some basis for this in Paul’s speech as recorded by Luke, since Paul does address the public as would have Demosthenes: Ἄνδρες Ἀθηναῖοι.

¹² For the terminology in παρὰ τὸ ἐστὼς ... κινούμενον, cf. Damascius, *De princ.* vol. 3, 50 f. (eds. Westerink, Combès).

¹³ The providences in [73] (αἱ πρόνοιαι τῶν ὑπερτέρων) are a reference to ps.-Dion. Areopag. *De div. nom.* 152, speaking of the higher beings taking care of (having forethoughts for) the lower. For the argument in [72] ff., cf. Psellos *Theol.* 59.50–55.

oration ends as it began by referring to the greatness of Athens which would become even greater when supernaturalized through acceptance of the divine word.

Sophonias

The only known Sophonias who was also an active writer is the author of the paraphrase of Aristotle's *De anima* and presumably of similar works.¹⁴ Manuscripts of *In de anima* attribute it to the learned Sophonias (τοῦ σοφωτάτου κυροῦ Σοφονίου), without the "monk". Apart from the Aristotelian paraphrases, there is also a brief letter from a "monk Sophonias" (τοῦ μοναχοῦ Σοφονία) to Joseph the philosopher; this letter must have been written between 1307 and 1325, the period when Joseph lived in Constantinople.¹⁵ Furthermore, there are important references to a Sophonias from this period in various other sources. We have, first of all, Pachymeres' statement that Sophonias the ἱερομόναχος was sent by Andronikos II Palaeologos to Italy to negotiate the marriage of his son Michael IX to Catherine de Courtenay (Pachy-

¹⁴ For a concise summary of the evidence on Sophonias see D. SEARBY, entry "Sophonias", *Encyclopedia of Medieval Philosophy. Philosophy between 500 and 1500*. New York/Heidelberg 2011, 1208–11. A more detailed version of the same entry is to be published in vol. 6 of *Dictionnaire des philosophes antiques (DPHA)*, ed. R. GOULET. The only paraphrase explicitly attributed to Sophonias is *In libros Aristotelis De Anima paraphrasis* (ed. M. HAYDUCK, CAG 23.1, Berlin 1883). The other Aristotelian treatises probably penned by him are: *Themistii (Sophoniae) in Parva Naturalia commentarium* (ed. P. WENDLAND, CAG 5.6, Berlin 1903); *In Aristotelis Categorias Paraphrasis* (ed. M. HAYDUCK, CAG 23.2, Berlin 1884); [*Themistii*] *quae fertur in Aristotelis Analyticorum Priorum Librum I Paraphrasis* (ed. M. WALLIES, CAG 23.3, Berlin 1884); *In Aristotelis Sophisticos elenchos Paraphrasis* (ed. M. HAYDUCK, CAG 23.4, Berlin 1884). On Sophonias' paraphrase of *De anima* in particular, see H. J. BLUMENTHAL, Sophonias' Commentary on Aristotle's *De anima*, in L. Benakis (ed.), *Néoplatonisme et philosophie médiévale*. Tournhout 1997, 307–317. See also B. BYDÉN, Λογοτεχνικές καινοτομίες στα πρώιμα παλαιολόγια υπομνήματα στο Περί ψυχῆς του Αριστοτέλη. *Υπόμνημα στη φιλοσοφία* 4 (2006) 221–251. Bydén, whose focus is not only on Sophonias but also on other commentators from the same period (Metochites, Pachymeres), examines whether Sophonias lived up to his goal of making Aristotle's meaning clearer than his predecessors. Ultimately, he thinks, Sophonias' combined goals of paraphrase and commentary are in conflict with each other.

¹⁵ For an edition and analysis see S. G. MERCATI, *Studi bizantini e neoellenici* 1 (1925) 168–174 (= *Collectanea Byzantini* I, Bari 1970, 343–347).

meres, IX, 5, ed. A. Failler p. 227, 22 f.).¹⁶ This embassy, corroborated in historical records, ended without success in 1296.¹⁷ Both Sophonias and Manuel Holobolos (ca 1245–1310/14) are described as typifying well known intellectuals of the preceding generation in a letter directed to Makarios Chrysokephalos, metropolitan of Philadelphia.¹⁸ The Dominican friar Simon of Constantinople (ca. 1235–1325) dedicated the second book of his work *De processione Spiritus Sancti etiam ex Filio* to Sophonias (using the title ἱερομόναχος).¹⁹ A Latin manuscript in the library of Uppsala University contains a treatise written by Guilelmus Bernardus de Gaillac (Guillaume Bernard) who, in 1307, founded the Dominican monastery in Pera.²⁰ On f. 5r (p. 342) of this treatise, written after he had left Pera, Guillaume reveals that he was personally acquainted with Sophonias the monk, for he informs us that Sophonias the “kalogerus or monk” knew both Greek and Latin and “had suffered persecution on account of his confession of the true faith as taught by the Roman Church”. Thus, in the same period in which Sophonias the paraphraser of Aristotle must be assumed to have been working, we also find Sophonias the monk, well versed in the intellectual issues of the day, a Greek equipped with a knowledge of Latin, with ties to Dominicans and with some connection to Joseph Rhakendytes and

¹⁶ See A. FAILLER, La mission du moine Sophonias en Italie et le mariage de Michael IX Palaiologos. *REB* 60 (2002) 151–166.

¹⁷ Cf. C. PERRAT/J. LONGNON (eds.), Actes Relatifs à la Principauté de Morée 1289–1300. Paris 1967, 4 nos. 130, 143, 153, 154, 158–159, 165, 170–173; F. DÖLGER, Regesten der Kaiserurkunden des oströmischen Reiches von 565–1453, 4. Teil: Regesten von 1282–1341. München/Berlin 1960, 18 no. 2156a.

¹⁸ R. WALTHER, Ein Brief an Makarios den Metropolit von Philadelphia. *JÖB* 22 (1973) 219–232. The passage on p. 229, 28–30 runs: Τοὺς γὰρ Ὀλοβόλους ἐκείνους καὶ Σοφονίους τοὺς πάντ’ ἀρίστους καὶ ὧν πολὺ κλέος ἐς ἡμᾶς καθήκει, περιττὸν ὅλως ἡγνῆται ἀντεξετάζειν σοι. Note that Sophonias is here spelt with an omega in the second syllable. This spelling sometimes occurs in the manuscripts, but Σοφονίας is more correct.

¹⁹ Cf. Mercati (as in note 15 above) p. 169. On Sophonias’ contact with Simon and the Dominicans, see M-H. CONGOURDEAU, Frère Simon le Constantinopolitain, O. P. (1235?–1325?). *REB* 45 (1987) 165–174, and: Note sur les Dominicains de Constantinople au début du 14e siècle, *ibid.* 175–181.

²⁰ For an edition, see F. STEGMÜLLER, Guilelmus Bernardi de Gaillac OP, Tractatus de obiectionibus Graecorum contra processionem Spiritus sancti a Filio (Uppsala C 55). *Analecta Upsaliensia Theologiam Medii Aevi Illustrantia*, tom. I. *Opera Systematica*. Uppsala 1953, 323–360. On the founding and development of the Pera monastery, see R. J. LOENERTZ, La Société des Frères Pérégrinants. *Institutum Historicum FF. Praedicatorum, Romae ad S. Sabinae, Dissertationes historicae*, fasc. 7. Rome, 1937, 38–88 (Sophonias is mentioned on pp. 79 f.).

Manuel Holobolos. Almost all scholars view the paraphrast and the monk as one and the same man.²¹

As he explains in the preface to *In de anima*, Sophonias aimed not merely at paraphrase but at a combination of paraphrase and commentary.²² Most historians of philosophy hold that Sophonias contributes nothing of his own in the way of argument or interpretation, apart from his method of paraphrase and compilation as well as certain scattered remarks.²³ However, both at the beginning and end of the treatise, Sophonias does allow himself to speak in his own words. In the preface, he explains his aims and methods, as already mentioned; in an epilogue (p. 151 f.), he reveals his philosophical, or rather theological, interest in how Aristotle's psychology relates to the question of the immortality of the soul and the resurrection of the body, an interest he has also already indicated earlier in the treatise.

Concluding Remarks

The most probable assumption is that the Sophonias known through the Aristotelian paraphrases is the same as the author of our declamation. Strong support for this can be found not only in the explicit attribution in the manuscript to the monk Sophonias (a very rare name) but also in the parallels to formulations in the *De anima* paraphrase (see § 42 and § 46 with references), as well as the general philosophical tenor of the work. Sophonias presents Paul more or less as a professional philosopher speaking to professional philosophers.

Sophonias was clearly moving in the same "post-Lyons" intellectual circles as Joseph the Philosopher († ca 1330) and Manuel Holobolos († ca 1310). Although we do not know the date or circumstances of the

²¹ The fact that the paraphrast is never called a monk in the mss should not disturb us, nor should the alternation between the titles of monk and priest-monk. Sophonias could have written the Aristotelian treatises before becoming a monk – he may be one of those learned officials who entered a monastery upon the rise in influence of strict anti-unionists (cf. Constantinides, as in note 10 above, 67) and then took a number of years to be ordained a priest. Blumenthal (as in note 14 above) 309 writes: "It must be said that the identification" (i.e. of the paraphrast and the monk sent to the West) "depends rather too much on the infrequent occurrence of the name." To this it must be objected that Blumenthal does not take into account the Sophonias mentioned by Bernard nor the letter to Joseph or other evidence.

²² See SEARBY (as in note 14 above) for more details and a fuller bibliography.

²³ BLUMENTHAL (as in note 14 above) offers a more positive assessment.

composition of the declamation, whether Sophonias delivered it orally or just circulated it in writing, it seems reasonable to assume that it was written around the first years of the 14th century. Perhaps the freedom to speak (ἐλευθερία τοῦ λέγειν) much valued by Paul in [5] hides a contemporary reference to a freedom of expression warmly desired by Sophonias himself, who may have felt some reticence about expounding his views with full candour during the reign of Andronikos II.²⁴ Sophonias may be endorsing a certain view of the relation of philosophy to theology, even while he maintains the transcendence of the mystical knowledge of God that comes through faith. This would also be consonant with the epilogue found at the close of the *In de anima*.²⁵ By

²⁴ The best study of the policies and the “anti-Latin” tendencies of Andronikos II, remains that by A. E. LAIOU, Constantinople and the Latins. The Foreign Policy of Andronicus II 1282–1328. Cambridge MA 1972. Laiou (pp. 212–216) discusses the letter from one “Sophronias”, a priest-monk, to Charles de Valois, dated 1308, one of five Byzantine supporters in high positions who wrote to Charles, urging him to take the Byzantine throne. She goes on to observe that “Sophronias” wrote in a much more familiar way to Charles than the others had, even mentioning the possibility of seeing Charles in France. This makes it tempting, she says, to identify “Sophronias” with the Sophonias sent by Andronikos II, but the difference in the names is an obstacle. The name “Sophronias” occurs only once, on the back of the parchment letter in the bold address to Charles: τῷ ὑψηλοτάτῳ τῷ βασιλεῖ καὶ αὐτοκράτορι Ῥωμαίων κυρῷ Καρούλλῳ † ὁ ἐν ἱερομονάχοις εὐτελῆς Σωφρονίας. The name was omitted in the original edition of the letter in C. DU CANGE, Histoire de l’empire de Constantinople sous les empereurs françois, Paris 1657, but included in H. MORANVILLÉ, Les projets de Charles de Valois sur l’empire de Constantinople. *Bibliothèque de l’École des chartes* 51 (1890) 63–86. We have obtained a black and white copy of the letter in question and can confirm that the name on the back of the letter is Σωφρονίας (with two omicrons and the abbreviated ending -ίας). In our opinion, the writing on the back of the letter may be in a different hand from the letter itself, since there are some minor differences, but we have too small a sample to go on. The name Σωφρονίας or Σωφρονίας is so rare as not to be included in any form in either the *Lexicon of Greek Personal Names* or the *TLG*. One would rather expect the name Σωφρόνιος which, of course, is far more common than our Σωφρονίας. Since the name Σωφρονίας or Σωφρονίας appears not to have been in use at all, we do not rule out that the author of the letter to Charles is our monk Sophonias, and that the name on the back of the page was written erroneously by someone other than the original sender. We are grateful to Delphine Herve at the Archives nationales in Paris for promptly sending us a reproduction of the letter.

²⁵ Sophonias, *In de anima*, CAG 23,1, 152,2–5: καὶ μέντοι καὶ σωμάτων ἔσται ἀνάστασις ταῖς ἰδίαις ψυχαῖς συνέσεσθαι, ἣν δὴ καὶ παλιγγενεσίαν ὁ ἀληθὴς πρεσβεύει λόγος· καὶ τὴν εἰς τοῦτο τῶν πολλῶν συλλογισμῶν καὶ πλοκῶν τοῦ σωτήρος φωνὴν πιστοτέραν ἡγοῦμεθα. δεῖ δὴ οὖν ἀρετῆς καὶ πρὸ ταύτης εὐσεβείας· ἐκάτε-

choosing the Apostle of the Gentiles to do his speaking, Sophonias was perhaps driving home his own view of philosophy's potential, not least Platonic philosophy, to be put in the service of theology.²⁶ We offer this idea merely as a possible avenue of investigation for scholars who may wish to pursue a more thorough synchronic study of the declamation.

Presentation of the edition and translation

Editorial intervention has been kept to a minimum. Deletions are indicated in the main text by means of square brackets [...], suppletions by angle brackets <...>, lacunas by braces {...}. Minor changes in the accentuation or orthography have generally not been noted,²⁷ nor the scribe's less important corrections.²⁸ We tried to follow the punctuation of the manuscript by indicating pauses in the same places though not always using the same signs (e.g. we may substitute commas for medial

ρον γὰρ ἐκατέρου χωρὶς οὐδὲν ἢ μικρὸν ὤνησεν. Constantinides (as in note 10 above) 131 uses Sophonias' epilogue – “where Sophonias in his epilogue supported the Christian point of view” – as evidence that the “Church kept a closer eye on philosophical studies in Constantinople”. This is not a necessary conclusion: the epilogue may be completely sincere.

²⁶ The 11th century anathemas in *Syndicon Orthodoxiae* against pagan Greek philosophy, especially certain eschatological doctrines of Platonism, were still in force at this period. Cf. N. SINIOSSOGLOU, *Plato and Theodoret. The Christian Appropriation of Platonic Philosophy and the Hellenic Intellectual Resistance*. Cambridge 2008, 241. In her review of Siniossoglou, Ilaria Ramelli notes our text: “Theodoret was interested ‘in the Platonic *lexis* rather than Plato's *nous*’. This is the reverse of what Sophonias, the Christian commentator on Aristotle, regarded as a good exegesis, and I deem it no accident that in an unpublished *melete* on Paul's Athenian speech, which of course Siniossoglou could not have mentioned, Sophonias displays a good acquaintance with the best of patristic philosophy.” See I. RAMELLI, review of Siniossoglou in *The Journal of Religion* 89 (2009) 413–415. For Sophonias' interest in the hidden sense, cf. [11] in our text (τὰ πλεῖστα ἐν ὑπονοίαις κεῖται).

²⁷ Such as φωρᾶσαι for φωράσαι in [2]; ἐστὼς for ἐστὼς in [15]; ἐγὼ for ἐγὼ and ἐπ' αὐτοὺς for ἐπαυτοὺς in [25]; καγὼ for καγὼ in [38]; δῶναι for δύναι in [45]; ἐκείνῳ for ἐκεῖνο in [56], or our several changes of μὴ δὲ to μὴδε and similariar cases.

²⁸ Such as τῶν ὑπ' αὐτὸν for τῶν ὑπ' αὐτῶν in [12]; ἀντιστοικίσασαι for ἀντιστοικίσασαι in [17]; ἐξεταζομένον to ἐξεταζομένων in [24]; σῶζει for ζῶζει in [28]; the order of κάτω νενευκόσι καὶ κακία in [31]; τῷ λόγῳ to τῷ κόσμῳ in [77].

points, etc), but, to avoid confusion, we have at several points omitted pauses indicated by punctuation in the manuscript.²⁹

Despite some unevenness, the text seems complete, all but for the ending in [82]. It is unlikely that much is missing there, perhaps only a few words, since it is clear that what we have belongs to a final exhortation. The δὲ after αὐξῆσαι indicates a possible lacuna: this infinitive does not construe easily with the foregoing. The gospel passage Sophonias has in mind here is Luke 13:19 (ὁμοία ἐστὶν κόκκῳ σινάπεως, ὃν λαβὼν ἄνθρωπος ἔβαλεν εἰς κῆπον ἑαυτοῦ, καὶ ἡύξησεν καὶ ἐγένετο εἰς δένδρον), as we can see by the choice of the verb βάλλειν (καταβάλλειν) and the apparently intransitive αὐξάνειν (the parallel passages in Matthew and Mark use σπείρειν and the more normal αὐξάνεσθαι). Sophonias has also based himself here on a passage in the oration over Basil the Great by Gregory Nazianzen (*Orat.* 43, 36.2–3, ed. Boulenger) that praises Basil for physically feeding the poor and for given hungry souls the nourishment that causes them to grow to spiritual maturity (εἰς αὕξησιν ἄγοντος πνευματικῆς ἡλικίας τὸν καλῶς τρεφόμενον). We have decided not to suggest any major emendations here apart from indicating possible lacunas, bracketing a single word, and adding a final word.³⁰

In the notes we indicate the more important parallels and/or sources that we have identified; we omitted a number of lesser parallels and have certainly missed others. A translation into English is given for the convenience of the reader, even for readers knowledgeable in Greek, since the text is at times difficult to follow. We have made a translation using a somewhat archaic English style which, we felt, suited the artificiality of the original well. Some liberties were taken to render expressions into more readable English. We can certainly not claim to have captured Sophonias' meaning at every point; there are still a number of points the interpretation of which remains uncertain.

²⁹ On the advice of one of the peer-reviewers, we removed, for example, commas after σοφότητα, ἄμοιρον, Ἰουδαίοις, πεισθεῖς, προθύμως in §§ 6, 7, 11, 20, 24, respectively, and in other passages.

³⁰ Filippomaria Pontani of Venice suggested to us that the ms the scribe was copying from was damaged at this point. Prof. Pontani suggests placing the words καὶ νῦν τὸ φιλότιμον ἐνδεικνύσθω before κὰν τῇ εὐσεβείᾳ διαφερέτω, which would certainly make the text flow much more neatly.

(f. 156r) Τοῦ σοφωτάτου μοναχοῦ κυροῦ Σοφονίου μελέτη :-

Παῦλος ἐν Ἀθήναις δημηγορῶν :-

[1] Οὐ νῦν ἐγὼ πρῶτος ἐπὶ δικαστήριον ἀναβέβηκα καὶ γνώσει δικαστῶν ἐξετάζομαι, οὐδὲ ἀρχὴν λαμβάνω ἤδη λόγον ἀπαιτεῖσθαι ὑπὲρ οὗ πρε-
 5 σβεύω λόγον, ἀλλὰ πολλοῖς πρότερον δοκιμασθεῖς καὶ συνεξετασθεῖς βήμασι καὶ πολλοὺς ἀγῶνας ἀναδεξάμενος καὶ πάντων περισωθεῖς διὰ τὴν τοῦ κηρυττομένου λόγου δύναμιν καὶ θειότητα, τέλος καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν Ἄρειον Πάγον τοῦτον ἀπήντηκα προσκεκλημένος. [2] δικαιοτέρῳ μέντοι ἢ σεμνο-
 10 τέρῳ τούτου, ὥς γέ μοι φαίνεται, οὐπω παρέστηκα βήματι, οὐδὲ κριταῖς σοφωτέροις ἢ φιλανθρωποτέροις ὑμῶν ἐντετύχηκα, οὐδὲ φωρᾶσαι τάληθῇ δυναμένοις· διὰ ταῦτα καὶ δικαιοτάτην ἐπὶ τοῖς μέλλουσι ῥηθῆναι τὴν ψήφον καὶ ἡλπικὰ καὶ τεθάρ<ρ>ηκα.

[3] Ὡς ἔοικεν οὖν οὐ σοφία μόνον, ὧ ἄνδρες Ἀθηναῖοι, ἀλλὰ καὶ ἀρετῇ τὸ κρατεῖν ὑμῖν τῶν ἄλλων περίεστι· καὶ ἔργα σεμνὰ λόγοις εὐπρεπέσι
 15 κοσμούμενα τῆς μακρᾶς ταύτης σχολῆς ὑμῖν ὁ καρπός· ἴσῃ γὰρ μελέτην ποιεῖσθε δύνασθαι τε εἰπεῖν καὶ ποιῆσαι χρηστόν. καὶ τοῦτο δῆλον ἐξ ὧν ἢ γε πόλις τὸν αἰὲ διέμεινε χρόνον τοῖς ἐγγύτατα γένους Ἑλλήσι καὶ τοῖς πόρρω διεστηκόσι καὶ ὑψηγουμένη τὰ δέοντα καὶ τὰ βελτίω συμπράτ-
 20 τουσα καὶ ἐξ ὧν αὐτοὶ νῦν πρὸς ἡμᾶς διετέθητε· [4] οὐ γὰρ ὥς ἀγνώτα καὶ ὑπερόριον ἀπεπέμψασθε οὐδ' ὥς πρὸς καινῶν ἀκουσμάτων εἰσηγητὴν ἐξωργίσθητε, οὐδ' ὥς διεστηκότα τὸ σέβας ἀσεβείας ἐγράψασθε, ἀλλὰ καὶ δεξιὰν δεδώκατε καὶ τὸ ἀπλοῦν τοῦ λόγου καὶ τὸ εὐτελὲς τῆς ἀναβολῆς καὶ τὴν ἐνοῦσαν πενίαν ἐν μέρει θαύματος ἔθεσθε. [5] ἐν μὲν δὴ τοῦτο καὶ
 25 πρῶτον ὑμᾶς, ὧ ἄνδρες, καὶ τῆς ὑμετέρας πόλεως ἂν τις ἐπαινέσαι ἔχοι· τὴν εἰς τοὺς αἰὲ δεομένους καὶ παρατυγχάνοντας φιλανθρωπίαν καὶ ἡμε-
 30 ρότητα. δεύτερον δὲ ὅ μοι καὶ διαφερόντως σπουδάζεται τὴν δοθεῖσαν ἐλευθερίαν τοῦ λέγειν καὶ τὸ προτραπῆναι κηρύξαι τὸν λόγον ἀφόβως ὃν ἦκω φέρων καὶ οὗ μετασχεῖν ὥς κρατίστου καὶ θειοτάτου καὶ βαρβάρους πεῖθω καὶ Ἑλλήνας, διὰ γῆς καὶ θαλάττης ἐρχόμενος. [6] καὶ οὐκ ἀπη-
 30 ξιώσατε Ἀθηναῖοι ὄντες τοῦ ἐκ Παλαιστίνης ἐν Ἀρείῳ Πάγῳ ὃ τῶν ἄλλων δικαστηρίων τῶν παρ' ὑμῖν τιμιώτερον ἀκροᾶσθαι δημηγοροῦντος. ἀλλ' ὥς ἐν τούτοις διανενόησθε καὶ διεπράξατε φιλανθρωπότητα καὶ σοφότητα, οὕτω μοι καὶ τῶν λεγομένων ἴσοι κριταὶ γίνεσθε μηδὲν τῆς ἀληθείας ἔμπροσθεν ἄγοντες, μὴ δόξαν προσώπων, μὴ νόμον πόλεως, μὴ συνήθειαν.

3 Οὐ ... ἀναβέβηκα Pl. *Ap.* 17.d.2. | 4 ὑπὲρ οὗ πρεσβεύω cf. *Eph.* 6:20.

27 κηρύξαι] κηρύξαι cod. | 28 οὗ alia manu in mg., οὐ in textu

- 35 [7] καὶ ἔτι δέομαι καὶ παρίεμαι μὴ πρὸς τὸ τῆς φωνῆς ἄηθες καὶ παρηλαγμένον τῆς λέξεως καὶ χαρίτων ἄμοιρον ξενοπαθήσαντες οἱ σοφία τρυφῶντες, πρὸς βάρος τὰ λεγόμενα δέξησθε, ἀλλ' ὥς τὰ οἴκοι ἀπαγγελλόντων ἡμῶν καὶ οἷς ἐντεθράμμεθα, οὕτως ἀκούετε, τοῦτο μόνον σκοπούμενοι εἰ ἀληθὴ λέγω ἢ μή. [8] κήρυκος μὲν γὰρ ἀρετὴ, καὶ τῶν οἷος
- 40 ἐγώ, τὸ διαγγεῖλαι τὰ τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ μαρτύρασθαι ἃ ἐώρακε καὶ ἀκήκοε καὶ προστέτακται· ἀκροατῶν δὲ καὶ σοφῶν καὶ τῶν οἷοι ὑμεῖς τὸ τὰ ἀμείνω ἰδεῖν, καὶ Θεῷ λατρεῦειν ἐλέσθαι ζῶντι καὶ ἀληθινῷ, τῶν ὀρωμένων καὶ ψηλαφωμένων ἀναχωρήσαντας, ὥς μή τι (f. 156v) ἐχόντων θεότητος μηδὲ τῆς προσκυνουμένης φύσεως.
- 45 [9] Τίς δὴ ὢν αὐτὸς καὶ ὅθεν εἰς ὑμᾶς ἦκων ὥς μὴ πρὸς ἀνάγκην ὄντων, διὰ βραχέων ἐπιμνησθήσομαι· περὶ δὲ τοῦ λόγου οὐ προϊσταμαι καὶ πρεσβεύω καὶ ὃν καταγγεῖλαι πᾶσιν ἐπείγομαι ἐπὶ μακρότερον διηγῆσομαι. δεῖ γὰρ ἐν πᾶσι τὰ θεῖα τῶν ἀνθρωπίνων κρατεῖν. [10] εἰμὶ δὴ αὐτὸς τὸ μὲν γένος Ἰουδαῖος· γεγέννημαι δὲ ἐν Ταρσῷ τῆς Κιλικίας, πατέρων δὲ τυχῶν
- 50 τῶν ἐν συμμετρίᾳ καὶ ἡθους καὶ περιουσίας, οἱ καὶ διὰ τина πεπραγμένα καὶ πολιτείας Ῥωμαίων ἡξίωσιν, ἐλευθερίως ἀνῆγμαι. [11] διαβὰς δὲ ἐπὶ Παλαιστίνην ἐπὶ τοὺς ὁμοφύλους τὴν πάτριον ἐξασκοῦμαι παιδείαν· παιδεία δὲ παρὰ Ἰουδαίοις τὸ εἰδέναι τὰ νόμιμα καὶ εἰπεῖν ἀσφαλῶς ἔχειν τοῦ τε νομοθέτου καὶ τῶν ὑπ' αὐτὸν προφητῶν τῶν ῥητῶν τὴν διάνοιαν, ἐπειδὴ
- 55 τὰ πλεῖστα ἐν ὑπονοίαις κεῖται· παιδεία δὲ παρ' αὐτοῖς καὶ τὸ τῇ θρησκείᾳ προσκεῖσθαι καὶ τὸ τοῖς ἐπιθιασμοῖς προσέχειν. [12] ἀκριβωσάμενος δὲ ταῦτα, ζηλῶ τῶν ἐν ἡμῖν αἰρέσεων τὴν διαπρεπεστέραν, καὶ συντάττομαι Φαρισαίοις. φιλοσοφίας δὲ τῆς ἐν ἡμῖν τοσοῦτον μετέσχον, ὅσον τὸ ἐπιχώριον ἐφήσιν ἔθος· ἔθος δὲ Ἑβραίοις, ἐπὶ τοσοῦτον ἐπιστήμης ἄπτεσθαι,
- 60 ἐφ' ὅσον ἀνάγκη· μὴ προσ<εξ>ετάζειν δέ, μηδὲ διὰ τέλους ἔρχεσθαι, μηδὲ πολυπραγμονεῖν, ἃ μὴ τοῖς κοινοῖς λογισμοῖς εὐκατάληπτα· καὶ συζητητὴν εἰς ταῦτα ἢ καινοποιὸν ἦκιστα Ἰουδαῖον εὐρήσεις· ἐρρῶσθαι γὰρ οὕτως ἐδόκει καὶ πεπηγέσθαι τὰ πατρία μὴ τινι νεωτερισμῷ σαλευόμενα. [13] ἐπαγγελίας δὲ οὔσης Θεοῦ, πρὸς τὸν τοῦ γένους ἡμῶν ἀρχηγὸν Ἀβραάμ,
- 65 ὥς ἐν ταῖς ἱεραῖς ἀναγέγραπται βίβλοις, ἐν τῷ σπέρματι αὐτοῦ τὰ ἔθνη εὐλογηθῆσεσθαι καὶ ἤδη εἰς πέρας τῆς ἐπαγγελίας ἐλθούσης ἐπ' ἐσχάτων

35 δέομαι καὶ παρίεμαι Pl. Ap. 17c 6. | 38 οἷς ἐντεθράμμεθα Pl. Ap. 18a 1. τοῦτο ... 39 μή Pl. Ap. 18a 5. | 39 κήρυκος ... ἀρετὴ Pl. Ap. 18a 5. | 40 ἃ ... 41 προστέτακται cf. Act. 22:10. | 49 γεγέννημαι ... Κιλικίας Act. 21:39. | 51 πολιτείας Ῥωμαίων ἡξίωσιν Act. 21:25–28. | 65 ἐν ... 66 εὐλογηθῆσεσθαι cf. Gen. 12:1 f., Gal. 3.8.

45 ἦκων] ἦκον cod. ἀνάγκην] αν ante ἀνάγκην erasit scriba | 55 pro ante θρησκείᾳ del. scriba

τούτων τῶν ἡμερῶν, ἐπεὶ ἀδύνατον ἦν ψεύσασθαι θεόν, πρὸς πολλοῖς ἄλλοις μάρτυς καὶ αὐτὸς τῆς ἐπιφανείσης τῷ κόσμῳ σωτηρίας καὶ χάριτος γίνομαι· [14] καὶ κηρύττω ὡς ὁ τοῦ Θεοῦ λόγος, ὁ προαιώνιος, ζῶσα ὦν οὐσία καὶ Θεῷ συνὼν ἀεὶ, δι' οὗ καὶ τὸν κόσμον τοῦτον καὶ δι' οἰκειάς δυνάμεως καὶ σοφίας ἐδημιούργησεν ὁ γεννήσας πατήρ, νῦν εὐδοκία τοῦ τῶν ὅλων Θεοῦ, ἐν ἀνθρωπίνῳ γεγένηται εἶδει καὶ τοῖς ἐν Παλαιστίνῃ ἀνθρώποις συμπεπολίτευται, ὡς ἐκεῖ τῆς ἐπαγγελίας αὐτὸν ἐνδημήσειν προαγορευούσης· [15] μίγνυται δὲ ἀνθρώπῳ Θεὸς ἵνα τοῖς αὐτοῦ τὰ ἡμέτερα τελειώσῃ, καὶ ἡ φύσις ἀνακληθῇ ἄνωθεν ρεύσασα, καὶ ἄνθρωπος τὸν ἀληθῆ ἐπιγνοίῃ Θεόν, τῶν οὐκ ὄντων ἀναχωρήσας, καὶ ἡ τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς ἀρετὴ πολιτεύσῃται, τοῦ διδάζοντος ἐκεῖθεν ἀφικομένου, καὶ παρὰ τὸ ἐστὼς πῆξιν σχοίῃ τὸ ἀόριστον καὶ κινούμενον.

[16] Διὰ ταῦτα καὶ παρθένος ἀγνή ὑπηρετεῖ τῷ τόκῳ, ἵνα μηδὲν ἢ ῥυπαρὸν οὐ Θεὸς καὶ δι' οὗ σωτηρία. καὶ καινῶν προηγείται καινὴ ἄνευ ἀνδρὸς μήτηρ καὶ παρθένος λοχεύουσα· οὕτω γὰρ ἔδει γενέσθαι τοῦ λόγου τὴν πρὸς τὴν σάρκα σκλήνωσιν. [17] τέλος, ἐπεὶ τὰ μὲν ἔργοις, τὰ δὲ λόγοις παρέδειξε τίς τέ ἐστι καὶ ὅθεν ἥκει καὶ δι' ὧν ἄνθρωπος σφύζοιτο, ἐπὶ σταυρὸν ἐκούσιον καὶ θάνατον ἔρχεται, ἵν' ἐν κρίματι καὶ δικαιοσύνῃ τὸ καθ' ἡμῶν τῶν ἀρχόντων τοῦ σκότους τοῦ αἰῶνος τούτου κράτος λύσῃται, καὶ ἀναιρήσῃ τὴν τυραννίδα τῶν ἀποστατικῶν (f. 157r) δυνάμεων, αἱ πρὸς εἶδωλα καὶ χειρῶν ἡμῶν ἀνθρωπίνων κατήγαγον πλάσματα, Θεοῦ τοῦ πεποιηκότος χωρίσασαι καὶ τῇ τοῦ νοῦ συναρπαγῇ τὰ πάθη ἀντεισοικίσασαι. [18] ἀναιρεῖ οὖν θανάτῳ θάνατον τῷ ἑαυτοῦ τὸν ἡμέτερον καὶ νεκρώσει βραβεύει ζωὴν καὶ τῇ ταφῇ τῶν τῆς ἁμαρτίας δεσμῶν ἀπολύεται· ἀναστὰς δὲ τριήμερος ὡς ἐωράκειμεν, καὶ εἰς οὐρανούς καὶ τὴν ἀρχὴν ἀνελήλυθεν ἀποκαταστάς, τῆς τε ἐν τέλει τῶν χρόνων κοινῆς ἡμῶν ἀναστάσεως ἀπαρχὴ καὶ προοίμιον γίνεται, καὶ ὅπη μετὰ ταῦτα οἱ πεισθέντες αὐτῷ οἰκήσουσι καὶ οἷας δόξης ἀξιωθήσονται δείκνυσι. [19] καὶ συνελόντα εἰπεῖν, τοῦτο ἦν τῆς οἰκονομίας τὸ πέρας, καὶ τῆς τοῦ Θεοῦ τῶν ὅλων βουλῆς, ἣν διὰ τοῦ λόγου τελεῖ· ἀποπλήρωσις, τὸ θεωθῆναι τὸν ἄνθρωπον, καὶ πρὸς τὸ πρῶτον ἐλθεῖν ἀξίωμα, καὶ λαβεῖν τὸ κάλλος ᾧ πρὸ τοῦ πτώματος ἐλαμπρύνετο. ταῦτα καὶ οἱ παρ' Ἰουδαίοις προφήται πολλοῖς ἔμπροσθεν γεγονότες τοῖς χρόνοις διήγγειλαν ὡς γενήσονται. τούτοις

67 ἀδύνατον ἦν ψεύσασθαι *Hebr.* 6:18. | 79 μηδὲν ... 80 σωτηρία *Greg. Naz. In s. bapt. PG* 36.424B. | 85 τῶν ... τούτου cf. *Eph.* 6:12.

67 τούτων *supr. lin.* | 70 τοῦτον καὶ] ὡς *ante* καὶ *manu recentiore in mg. additum* | 71 ἐδημιούργησεν] ἐδημιούργησεν *cod.* | 73 ἐνδημήσειν] σεῖν *post ἐνδημήσειν del. scriba* | 75 *in ἀνακληθῇ ex ἀνακλιθῇ* (*η supra ι*) *corr. scriba* | 92 ἀνελήλυθεν] ἀνε-
λήλυθε ἐλήλυθεν *cod.*

100 πολλοὶ καὶ τῶν παρ' Ἑλλήσι ποιητῶν συνεφώνησαν καὶ ἐπὶ τῶν φιλοσοφισάντων, οἱ τελεώτεροι καὶ ἐν πλείστοις ἐπιτετευχότες τοῦ ὄντος.

[20] Τούτοις οὖν, ὧ ἄνδρες, καὶ αὐτὸς ὡς ἀληθῆσι πεισθεῖς ἤκω καὶ ὑμῖν ἀγγέλλων καὶ ὑπηρετῆς μυστηρίων Θεοῦ καὶ διάκονος ἀπορρήτων γίνομαι· καὶ τῆς ἀπ' οὐρανοῦ παραγενομένης σοφίας μετασχεῖν τοὺς τῶν
 105 Ἑλλήνων ἄκρους βιάζομαι, καὶ ὅτι Θεὸς ἄρτι κόσμον ἑαυτῷ καταλλάττει τὸν διὰ τῆς ἀσεβείας πολεμωθέντα διαγορεύω τοῦ υἱοῦ μεσιτεύσαντος. [21] καὶ δὴ πολλὰς διελθὼν καὶ νήσους καὶ ἡπείρους, καὶ ἐν πολλοῖς καρποφορήσας τὸ εὐαγγέλιον οὐκ ἄμογητὶ οὐδὲ πειρατηρίων ἐκτὸς πολλῶν ὄντων τῶν κωλύοντων, καὶ πάντας νενικηκὼς ἐν τῷ ἐνδυναμοῦντι με
 110 Χριστῷ, καθά μοι καὶ τὴν ἀρχὴν πέμπων ἐπὶ τὸ ἔργον ῥώσκειν ὑπέσχετο· [22] νῦν ἐπὶ τοῖς αὐτοῖς καὶ τῆς Ἀττικῆς ἐπιβέβηκα, καὶ τῷ ὑμετέρῳ παρέστηκα βήματι, τὰ αὐτὰ καὶ λέγων καὶ πείθων, ἀπαρνήσασθαι μὲν τὴν ἀσεβείαν καὶ τὰς κοσμικὰς ἐπιθυμίας, σωφρόνως δὲ καὶ δικαίως καὶ εὐσεβῶς ζῆν ἐν τῷ παρόντι αἰῶνι, ἀπεκδεχομένους τὴν μακαρίαν ἐλπίδα
 115 καὶ ἐπιφάνειαν τῆς δόξης τοῦ μεγάλου Θεοῦ καὶ σωτῆρος ἡμῶν, [23] μὴ ἀναβαλλομένους μηδὲ φεύγοντας τὸ σωτήριον, καὶ τὸ προσελθεῖν τῷ λόγῳ διὰ πονηρῶν ἔργων συνειδήσιν, ὡς οὐ προσδεχθήσεσθαι μέλλοντας, οὐδὲ τοῦ ἀγαθοῦ κοινωνήσκειν, καθάπερ διαφθαρέντας, [24] ἀλλὰ πρὸς ἐμὲ βλέψαντας, γεγονότα διώκτην καὶ ὑβριστὴν τῶν τοῦ Χριστοῦ πρότερον
 120 πλήθει κακῶν καὶ μεγέθει ἐξεταζομένων, νυνὶ δὲ ἡλεημένον κήρυκα καὶ ἀπόστολον ὧν ἐπόρθουν πάλοι προθύμως τῆς σωτηρίας ἔχουσιν.

[25] Τοῦτο γὰρ καὶ ἀναγκαῖον ἦν εἰπεῖν ἄνωθεν καὶ παρεῖθι. καὶ προστίθημι δὴ· καὶ οὐ τῶν πρώτως ἡκολουθηκότων τῷ λόγῳ ἐγώ, οὐδὲ ὑπὸ διδασκάλῳ Χριστῷ τὰ πρῶτα συνεταττόμην, ἀλλὰ τῶν διωκόντων ἦν καὶ
 125 τῶν προσεπηρεαζόντων. διὸ καὶ πᾶσαν ἐπήγον λύπην τοῖς προσεδρεύουσι τῷ κηρύγματι χεῖρα κινῶν ἐπ' αὐτοὺς (f. 157v) καὶ ἐπὶ βασάνους ἔλκων, δήμευον ἐκμαίνων καὶ τοὺς τῶν κρατούντων ἐπὶ τῇ τούτων λύμῃ θυμοὺς ὑπανάπτων. [26] ζηλωτὸς γὰρ ὢν τῶν πατρῶων, ὡς παρακεκινημένων αὐτῶν τοῦ εὐαγγελίου κρατυνομένου, προσεδυσχέλαινον, ἕως με κατὰ
 130 κρημνῶν φερόμενον ὁ Θεὸς ἐλεήσας οὐρανόθεν καλεῖ. θεία γὰρ μοι γίνεται φωνὴ ἐν μέσῳ ὁδῷ μεσούσης ἡμέρας ἀποκαλύπτουσα τὸν Χριστὸν καὶ τῆς κακίας ἰστώσα. [27] Καὶ δὴ πηρώσας τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς τῇ μετὰ τῆς φωνῆς ἀστραπῇ μετὰ τὸ μυηθῆναι καὶ τελεσθῆναι ἱάται πάλιν, πέμπει δέ

103 ὑπηρετῆς μυστηρίων Θεοῦ I *Cor.* 4:1. | 105 Θεὸς ... καταλλάττει II *Cor.* 5:19. | 109 ἐν ... 110 Χριστῷ *Phil.* 4.13. | 113 ἀσεβείαν ... 115 σωτῆρος ἡμῶν, see *Tit.* 2:12–13. | 119 διώκτην καὶ ὑβριστὴν I *Tim.* 1:13. | 120 κήρυκα καὶ ἀπόστολον II *Tim.* 1:11. | 128 ζηλωτὸς *Gal.* 1:14. | 132 πηρώσας ... 133 ἀστραπῇ, cf. *Act.* 9:3–8, 22:6–21.

126 ἐπ' αὐτοὺς] ἐπαυτοὺς cod.

- με ἐκείθεν καὶ ἄλλοις μετροῦντα, ἃ αὐτὸς ἀκήκοα καὶ μεμύημαι, καὶ
 135 στήλην μετανοίας ἐμαυτὸν ἐγκελεύεται παρασχεῖν καὶ ὁδὸν εἰς ἐπιστρο-
 φήν καὶ τῶν μελλόντων πιστεύειν εἰς αὐτὸν ὑποτύπωσιν. [28] παντὸς δὲ
 γυμνὸν ἐφοδίου μακρὰν στέλλων ὁδόν, μαινομένοις ἐπεμβάλλων κύμασι,
 ἀντιπαρταξαζόμενον βασιλεύει καὶ δῆμοις πόλεων. καὶ συνηθεία μακρῷ
 140 χρόνῳ βεβαιωθείσῃ μόνην τὴν παρ' αὐτοῦ ῥοπήν ἐν τοῖς κινδύνοις
 κατεπηγγείλατο. [29] ἥ δὴ συνοῦσα σώζει καὶ ζωὴν ἐμπνεῖ πολλάκις ἥδη
 νενεκρωμένῳ τῷ πλήθει τῶν ἐπιφορῶν καὶ μεγέθει. καὶ τὴν ἐκ τοῦ λόγου
 τῷ λόγῳ βοήθειαν ἀφελόμενος, τὴν διὰ σημείων προστίθῃσι ἵνα μὴ
 δυνάμει τέχνης μηδὲ ἀνθρωπίνῃ πειθοῖ τὰ λεγόμενα ἀλλὰ τῇ θείᾳ κρα-
 τύνοιτο.
- 145 [30] Ἀθετεῖται δὲ πολλοῖς καὶ ἀντιλέγεται τὸ μυστήριον· καὶ κινδυνεύει
 ἢ ὑπερβολὴ τῆς ἀγαθότητος ἀγνωμοσύνης ὑπόθεσις γίνεσθαι, καὶ τὸ τῶν
 δωρεῶν μέγεθος ὅτι ὑπεραίρει πάντα νοῦν ἀπιστεῖται, ἀδοξεῖται δὲ καὶ διὰ
 τὴν τῶν κηρυττόντων εὐτέλειαν, ὥς οὐχ ἱκανῶς τοιαῦτα πιστεύεσθαι.
 ἰδιῶται γὰρ καὶ τῶν ἐντιμῶν καὶ πένητες τῶν πεπαιδευμένων καὶ δόξῃ καὶ
 150 περιουσίᾳ λαμπρῶν εἰς τοῦτο προετιμήθησαν. [31] καὶ ἔτι διὰ τὴν τῶν
 ἐπιταγμάτων τραχύτητα· τοῖς γὰρ ἀνδραποδωδεστάτοις καὶ νενευκόσι
 κάτω καὶ κακίᾳ συζῶσι, δυσχερὲς ἢ τῶν τηλικούτων ἀκρόασις. οὐ γὰρ τὰ
 τέλη τῶν ἀμαρτημάτων <μόνον> κολάζομεν ἀλλὰ καὶ ὑπὲρ τῶν ἀρχῶν
 ἐγκαλοῦμεν· καὶ οὐ πράξεων ἀπαιτοῦμεν εὐθύνας μόνον ἀλλὰ καὶ λόγων
 155 καὶ διανοημάτων. [32] καὶ ἀναγκάζομεν ὑπερορᾶν τῶν τῆδε καὶ ζῆν πρὸς
 τὰ μέλλοντα, πεπεισμένοι κρείττονα ἔχειν ὑπαρξιν ἐν οὐρανοῖς καὶ μένου-
 σαν, τῆς ἐνταῦθα ἀπολλυμένης· καὶ οὐχ ὅτι μὴ ποιεῖ τις ἃ μὴ δεῖ θαν-
 μάζεται παρ' ἡμῖν, ἀλλ' ὅτι μὴ ἄκρος ἀγαθὸς ὀνειδίζεται. [33] οὐ γὰρ ἐν τῇ
 ἀναχωρήσει τῶν φαυλῶν, ἀλλ' ἐν τῇ προσλήψει τῶν βελτιόντων τὸ τέλειον
 160 κρίνομεν καὶ ὥς τὴν τοῦ καθαρωτάτου καὶ λαμπροτάτου ἐνότητα εἰς ἣν
 ἐπειγόμεθα, μὴ ἄλλως ἢ παντελεῖ ὁσιότητι καὶ ἀγιότητι γίνεσθαι· καὶ Θεοῦ
 κοινωνοῦμεν ὅταν καὶ ὁμοιώμεθα. μὴ καθαρῷ γὰρ ἅπτεσθαι καθαρῷ,
 οὐδὲ κατὰ τὸν σοφὸν ἐστὶ θεμιτόν, διὰ τε δὴ ταῦτα προσάντης ἢ καταδοχῇ
 τοῦ κηρύγματος. [34] καὶ ἔτι ὁ σταυρὸς ἄνω καὶ κάτω περιαδόμενος, καὶ
 165 αἱ πρὸ τοῦ σταυροῦ παροινίαί θράττουσι τοὺς λογισμοὺς καὶ σαλεύουσι·
 καὶ ἐπὶ πᾶσι τὸ τὴν ἀνωτάτῳ οὐσίαν καὶ πρώτην τοσοῦτον προσπλακῆναι

135 στήλην μετανοίας cf. Psellos *Poemata* 54.637. | 145 ἀντιλέγεται τὸ μυστήριον cf. Romanos *Cant.* 14.13. | 152 οὐ ... 154 ἐγκαλοῦμεν cf. Greg. Naz. *In s. pascha*, PG 36 col. 648B. | 156 ἔχειν ὑπαρξιν ... μένουσαν, see *Hebr.* 10:34. | 162 ὅταν καὶ ὁμοιώμεθα cf. Pl. *Theaet.* 176b. ἅπτεσθαι ... 163 θεμιτόν, see Pl. *Phd.* 67.b.2.

134 μετροῦντα] ἐτροῦντα cod. | 149 ἐντιμῶν] ἀτιμῶν cod. | 151 ἀνδραποδωδεστάτοις] ἀνδραποδωδεστάτοις cod.

λέγειν τῷ ἡμετέρῳ (f. 158r) χεῖρονι οὐ σεμνὸν οὐδὲ εὐσχημον οἶονται. [35] ἀγνοοῦσι δὲ οἶμαι ἐν τούτῳ οἱ πλείστοι θείας οἰκονομίας λόγους καὶ τῷ βάθει τῆς σοφίας οὐ παρακύπτουσιν, οἷς ἐκεῖνος διοικεῖ τὰ ὄντα καὶ
 170 κατευθύνεται ὃς διὰ τῶν ἐναντίων τὰ ἐναντία ἐν πλείστοις κατασκευάζεται, καὶ διὰ τῶν εὐτελεστάτων τὰ τιμιώτατα· διὰ γὰρ φθορᾶς γένεσιν καὶ διὰ τῶν ἀτελῶν ἀρχῶν τὰ εἶδη τῇ φύσει περαίνεται τελεώτατα, ἵνα καὶ μᾶλλον θαυμάζεται καὶ τυφὸς ἅπας πατῆται τῶν ἀνθρωπίνων δοξασμάτων καὶ ὑπολήψεων. [36] καὶ ἐπεὶ μὴ διὰ τῆς σοφίας ἢ γνῶσις ἐν τοῖς
 175 ἀνθρώποις ἐγένετο τοῦ Θεοῦ, εὐδοκεῖ διὰ τῆς μωρίας τοῦ κηρύγματος σῶσαι τοὺς πιστεύοντας. τὸ γὰρ μωρὸν τοῦ Θεοῦ σοφώτερον τῶν ἀνθρώπων ἐστί· καὶ τὸ ἀσθενὲς ὑπερβαλλούσης δυνάμεως καὶ τὸ δόξαν παράλογον παντὸς νοῦ καὶ λόγου κρατεῖ. οὐ γὰρ τῷ ἀνθρωπίνῳ κριτηρίῳ τῶν ὄντων Θεὸς προσχρήσεται, οὐδὲ τοῖς ἡμετέροις ἀκολουθήσει νόμοις
 180 καὶ διατάξεσι καὶ ταῖς περὶ τὸ χεῖρον ἢ βέλτιον ὑπολήψεσιν ἢ θεία φύσις καὶ ἀνεκκάλητος. [37] τὸ ἔμπαλιν δὲ δεῖ τῷ ἐστώτι συνέχεσθαι τὸ κινούμενον καὶ τῷ μέτρῳ τάττεσθαι τὸ ἀόριστον· καὶ τῷ ἀληθῶς ὄντι, τὸ γεγονὸς ῥυθμίζεσθαι τὸ πλανώμενον. νόμος γὰρ ἡμῖν ἰσοκλινῆς ὁ Θεὸς κατὰ τὸν εἰπόντα, καὶ ἡ ἐκεῖ νεῦσις οἰκείωσις καὶ τελείωσις.
 185 [38] Οὐκ οὖν ὁ λόγος ὁ τοῦ σταυροῦ, εἰ τοῖς μὲν ἀπολλυμένοις καὶ ἀθείᾳ ζῶσι μωρία καὶ ἔδοξε καὶ δοκεῖ, ἤδη καὶ τοῖς σωζομένοις καὶ Θεὸν εἰδῶσι οὕτως, ἀλλὰ τοῦναντίον ἅπαν. τὴν γὰρ ἀνωτάτην δύναμιν τοῦ Θεοῦ τῷ σταυρῷ δηλοῦσθαι πιστεύομεν· οὐδ' εἴ τισιν αἰσχύνῃ ἢ εἰς τὸν ἐσταυρωμένον ὁμολογία, ἤδη κάμοι. μὴ γάρ μοι γένοιτο ἕτερον ἀγαθὸν ἢ καὶ τὸ
 190 καυχᾶσθαι ἐν τῷ σταυρῷ τοῦ Χριστοῦ δι' οὗ ἐμοὶ κόσμος ἐσταύρωται καὶ γὰρ τῷ κοσμῷ. [39] οὐ γὰρ ἀπὸ τῶν μαινομένων ἀλλ' ἀπὸ τῶν ὑγιαίνοντων τὰς τῶν πραγμάτων ψήφους λαμβάνειν δεῖ· ἐπεὶ καὶ τισι τὸ μέλι πικρὸν καὶ ὁ ἥλιος οὐχ ἡδύς, τοῖς γὰρ πυρέττουσι καὶ ὀφθαλμιῶσι. τί οὖν; οὕτω καὶ τὸ πρᾶγμα ἔχει; οὐδαμῶς. δεῖ τοίνυν ἐπομένους Θεῷ καὶ ἀληθεῖ
 195 λογῷ καὶ ὑγιαίνοντι, οὕτως ἐπὶ τὰς κρίσεις τῶν πραγμάτων ἔρχεσθαι. [40] τί δὲ καὶ ἄπιστον ἢ ἀδύνατον ἐν τῷ λόγῳ λέγεται; ἵνα καὶ λογισμοῖς θεωρήσαιμεν, εἰ Θεὸς ἀνθρώπων κήδεται, εἰ τῆς αὐτῶν ἐπιλαμβάνεται φύσεως, εἰ ζωοποιεῖ τὸν ἑαυτοῦ ναὸν νεκρωμένον τριήμερον, εἰ σώζει τούτοις ἀπολωλότας ἡμᾶς, καὶ τὴν πτώσιν τῆς ψυχῆς ἀνορθοῦται πάλιν,
 200 καὶ τῆς ἐν τοῖς μετεωροτάτοις πορείας μετὰ τῶν ἀρίστων καὶ τῆς τοῦ νοητοῦ θεᾶς καταξιῶ.

[41] Ἐπεὶ γὰρ πᾶσα φύσις καλὸν ὅτι παρὰ τοῦ ἀγαθοῦ· καὶ τὸν δημιουργὸν τοῖς οἰκείοις προσχρῆσθαι γεννήμασι καὶ ποιήμασι καὶ

176 τὸ γὰρ μωρὸν ... 177 ἀσθενὲς, see I Cor. 1:25. | 183 νόμος ... Θεὸς Arist. Mund. 400b28. | 185 ἀπολλυμένοις ... 186 μωρία ... σωζομένοις, cf. I Cor. 1:18. | 189 τὸ ... 191 κόσμῳ cf. Gal. 6:14. | 202 Ἐπεὶ γὰρ πᾶσα ... 203 γεννήμασι, cf. Pl. Ti. 69.c.5.

205 μάλιστα ὅταν τι διοικῆται θεῖον, καὶ τοῦ προσειλημμένου σωτήριον, οὐκ
 ἀπρεπὲς οὐδ' ἀνάξιον. ἄχραντος ὁ λόγος ἔσται κὰν τοῖς ἡμετέροις
 γενόμενος· καὶ οὐ διὰ τὴν τοῦ χείρονος πρόσληψιν αὐτῷ τῆς δόξης ὕφεις
 μᾶλλον ἢ διὰ τὴν φιλανθρωπίαν προσθήκη μεγαλειότητος. [42] (f. 158v)
 οὐ γὰρ δεῖσομεν μήποτε τῇ περὶ τὴν ὕλην κοινωνίᾳ τοῦ αὐτοῦ καὶ ἀμε-
 210 λοῦς, καὶ τῇ τοῦ ἀειδοῦς ἐπὶ τὸ ὄρατον μεταβάσει πάθοι τι τὸ ἀπαθὲς αὐτῷ
 καὶ μακάριον, ὥσπερ ἂν εἰ καὶ ἥλιος παρεχραίνετο πάντα ἐπιπορευόμενος
 διὰ τῶν ἀκτίνων ἢ τὸ πῦρ ἐμολύνετο τῇ τῶν μὴ καθαρῶν σωμάτων ἐπι-
 μειξίᾳ, ἢ πρὸ τούτων ὁ νοῦς χώρα ὦν τῶν εἰδῶν τῇ εἰσδοχῇ τὴν φύσιν
 ἐβλάπτετο ἢ ἡ αἴσθησις τοῖς αἰσθήμασιν, ὥς ἂν καὶ ἀπὸ τῶν παρ' ἡμῖν καὶ
 215 τὰ ὑπὲρ ἡμᾶς ἐννοήσαιμεν. [43] πότε δὲ καὶ Θεὸς τῶν ὄντων χωρίζεται, αἰ
 συνέχων καὶ προνοοῦμενος; οὐ διὰ τοῦ παντὸς ἡκεὶ διηνεκῶς, καὶ ὑπὲρ τὸ
 πᾶν ἔστιν; οὐκ οὐσία οὐσα ταῖς πάσαις οὐσίαις ἀχράντως ἐπιβατεύει; οὐχὶ
 κατὰ τὸν σοφὸν τὸ ἐν οὐδενὸς τῶν ὄντων ἀποστατεῖ; εἰ γὰρ καὶ κατὰ φύσιν
 ἄπειρον τῶν γενητῶν ἀνεχώρησεν, ἀλλ' οὖν τῇ δυνάμει καὶ ἐνεργείᾳ καὶ
 νῷ καὶ ψυχαῖς καὶ σώμασι μέμικται. [44] καὶ Θεοῦ πάντα πλήρη κατὰ τὸν
 220 ποιητὴν· οὐ δὴ καὶ γένος ἐσμέν ὥς ἐκεῖνος ποιεῖ, καὶ ἀπὸ Παλαιστίνων δέ
 τις προφήτης ἡμέτερος, τὸν οὐρανὸν καὶ τὴν γῆν, φησὶν, ἐγὼ πληρῶ λέγει
 κύριος· ὥστε τὸν ποιητὴν ὑποκλίνεσθαι κινδυνεύουσι τοῖς ποιήμασι καὶ
 σώζειν, οὐκ ἀσθενείας δεῖγμα, ἀλλ' ὑπερεχούσης δυνάμεως ὥσπερ
 εἴρηται· [45] τὰ αὐτὰ δὲ ἐν τούτοις καὶ Πλάτων φιλοσοφεῖ, ἵνα καὶ μᾶλ-
 225 λον τοῖς οἴκοι πιστεύσητε καὶ ἀκολουθήσητε, ὅταν τὸν δημιουργὸν εἰσάγῃ
 τοῦδε τοῦ παντὸς ἐπιλαμβανόμενον, χειμαζομένου καὶ ἀποροῦντος καὶ
 κινδυνεύοντος εἰς τὸν τῆς ἀνομοιότητος δῦναι τόπον. [46] ἐπὶ γὰρ τῶν
 οἰάκων καθίσας, ὥς δὲ ἐκεῖνος εἶπεν, ἔφεδρος τῶν τοῦ παντὸς πηδαλίων
 γενόμενος, οὕτω τοῦ κλύδωνος ἀπαλλάττει καὶ ἐπανορθοῖ τὰ νοστήσαντα.
 230 ἦν γοῦν ἐκεῖνος ἐπὶ τοῦ παντὸς ποιεῖται ἀνάκλησιν, τοῦτο ἐπὶ μέρους
 ἡμεῖς, ὅσον κἀνταῦθα καὶ τιμιώτερον τὸ μέρος τοῦ ὅλου· ὑπεραίρει γὰρ ἐν
 τοῖς ὀρωμένοις παντὸς ἀλόγου καὶ ἀψύχου ἢ λογικῆ οὐσίας ὁ ἄνθρωπος.
 [47] κατὰ δὲ λόγον ἕτερον, καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀνακεφαλαιοῦσθαι λέγομεν τὰ πάντα

208 τὴν ὕλην κοινωνίᾳ cf. Sophonias *In de anima* CAG 23,1 p. 151.13. | 216 οὐκ οὐσία
 οὐσα ... ἐπιβατεύει, see Ps.-Dion. Areopag. *De div. nom.* 134.13 (οὐσία ταῖς ὅλαις
 οὐσίαις ἀχράντως ἐπιβατεύουσα). οὐχὶ κατὰ τὸν σοφὸν ... ἀποστατεῖ, see Pl.
Parm. 144b. | 220 οὐ ... ποιεῖ *Act.* 17:28, citing Aratus *Phaen.* 1.5. | 221 τὸν ... 222
 κύριος *Jer.* 23:24. | 224 Πλάτων φιλοσοφεῖ ... 227 δῦναι τόπον, see Pl. *Plt.* 273d. |
 227 ἐπὶ ... 228 καθίσας cf. Pl. *Plt.* 272e; the words ἐπὶ τῶν οἰάκων καθημένη appear in
 Sophonias, *In de anima* CAG 23,1 p. 45.6. | 229 ἐπανορθοῖ τὰ νοστήσαντα Pl. *Plt.* 273
 d-e.

221 φησὶν] φύσιν cod.

ἐν τῷ Χριστῷ καὶ ἀνακαινίζεσθαι τὰ ἐν οὐρανοῖς καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς· ἐπειδὴ
 235 καὶ πάντα ἐν αὐτῷ ἐκτίσθαι πιστεύομεν, ἀλλ' οὐδ' οὕτως ἡμεῖς τὴν τῆς
 σαρκὸς ὑπὸ τοῦ λόγου πρόσληψιν δογματίζομεν, ὥς συγκλεισθῆναι τὸ
 ἄπειρον καὶ περιγραφῆναι τὴν δύναμιν, καὶ ὅλως τι τραπῆναι τὴν φύσιν τῇ
 κοινωνίᾳ τῆς ἀνθρωπότητος. [48] ἀλλ' ἐπεὶ σωτηρίας ἔδει, τοῦτο δὲ τῇ
 240 κοινωνίᾳ, δυνατόν δὲ οὐκ ἦν γυμνὴν αὐτοῦ τὴν θεότητα φέρειν, ἢ σάρξ
 ἀντὶ παραπετάσματος προσλαμβάνεται, ἵν' ὥς ἐγγύτατα τοῖς αὐτοῦ ἁγια-
 σθῇ τὸ ἡμέτερον ὥσπερ εἴρηται, καὶ λυθῇ τὸ κατάκριμα, σαρκὶ τοῦ
 θανάτου θανατωθέντος. καὶ ὥσπερ δι' ἑνὸς ἀνθρώπου ὁ θάνατος εἰς τὸν
 κόσμον εἰσῆλθε τὴν ἐντολὴν ἀθετήσαντος, οὕτω πάλιν καὶ δι' ἑνὸς αὐτοῦ
 ἁμαρτίαν οὐκ ἔχοντος, ἡ ἀνάστασις καὶ ἀνθρώποις γίνεται. [49] καὶ οὕτω
 245 χωρητὸν τοῖς γενητοῖς ἡμῖν τὸν ἀπρόσιτον λέγομεν, μηδὲν τῶν αὐχημάτων
 τῆς ἰδίας καθυφιέντος (f. 159r) φύσεως, οὕτω τὸν πλήρη ὀρώμενκενού-
 μενον, μένοντα δὲ ἦν, καὶ δούλου μορφὴν λαμβάνοντα τὸν ἐλεύθερον καὶ
 ὑπήκοον τῷ Πατρὶ μέχρι σταυροῦ καὶ θανάτου γινόμενον τὸν ἀθάνατον
 καὶ τοῦ παθεῖν ὑψηλότερον· [50] ἔπρεπε γὰρ αὐτῷ δι' ὃν τὰ πάντα, καὶ δι'
 250 οὗ τὰ πάντα, πολλοὺς υἱοὺς εἰς δόξαν ἀγαγόντα τὸν ἀρχηγὸν τῆς σωτηρίας
 αὐτὸν διὰ παθημάτων τελειῶσαι, τοῦτον δὲ καὶ ἱλαστήριον μέσον ἑαυτοῦ
 καὶ ἡμῶν ὁ Θεὸς τίθησι, καὶ τὴν εἰς αὐτὸν προσαγωγὴν διὰ τούτου τοῖς
 ἀνιοῦσι χαρίζεται. [51] οὐδεὶς γὰρ ἔρχεται πρὸς τὸν πατέρα εἰ μὴ διὰ τοῦ
 υἱοῦ, οὐδὲ γινώσκει τις αὐτόν, μὴ τούτου ἀποκαλύπτοντος. οὗτος καὶ θῦμα
 255 καὶ ἄμνος καὶ ἱερεὺς ὀνομάζεται, ὥς ἑαυτὸν τῷ Θεῷ ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν ἀνενέγκαι,
 καὶ ὥσπερ τῇ κοινωνίᾳ τῶν παθημάτων αὐτοῦ χαρίζεται τὴν ἀπάθειαν, καὶ
 τῷ συνταφῆναι αὐτῷ διὰ τοῦ βαπτίσματος συζωοποιεῖ, οὕτω καὶ τῇ μετα-
 λήψει τῆς σαρκὸς αὐτοῦ ᾧ τρόπῳ μεταλαμβάνειν αὐτὸς ἐδικαίωσε, τὴν
 ἀθανασίαν δίδωσι. [52] τούτῳ δὴ καὶ τὴν κρίσιν πᾶσαν δέδωκεν ὁ πατὴρ
 260 τὴν ἐν τέλει τῶν αἰώνων γενησομένην. ἄξει γὰρ ὁ Θεὸς ἅπαντα ἄνθρωπον
 εἰς ἐξέτασιν λόγον ἀπαιτήσων ὧν πεπολίτευται. ὁ γοῦν δικάσων τότε καὶ
 τὴν θρυλλουμένην τῶν νεκρῶν αὐτουργήσων ἀνάστασιν, [53] οὗτος ἐστὶν
 ἀρχηγὸς γεγονῶς αὐτῆς ἥδη καὶ πρωτότοκος τῶν νεκρῶν χρηματίσας.
 σαλπίζει γὰρ τῇ ἐσχάτῃ σάλπιγγι, καὶ οἱ νεκροὶ ἐγερθήσονται ἄφθαρτοι,
 265 καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀλλαγησόμεθα. δεῖ γὰρ τὸ φθαρτὸν τοῦτο ἐνδύσασθαι

239 ἦν ... φέρειν, see Greg. Naz. *In sancta lumina* PG 36.349 A. | 240 ἀντὶ παρα-
 πετάσματος, cf. Mt. 27.51 and Greg. Naz. *ibid.* 349B. | 241 λυθῇ ... 242 θανατωθέν-
 τος, see Greg. Naz. *ibid.* 349B. | 242 ὁ θάνατος ... 243 εἰσῆλθε, see Rom. 5:12. |
 245 τὸν ἀπρόσιτον cf. I Tim. 6:16. | 246 κενούμενον ... 248 σταυροῦ, cf. Phil. 2:7–8. |
 249 ἔπρεπε ... 251 τελειῶσαι, see Hebr. 2:10. | 251 ἱλαστήριον ... 252 τίθησι, see
 Rom. 3:25. | 252 τὴν εἰς αὐτὸν προσαγωγὴν Eph. 2:15 | 253 οὐδεὶς ... 254 υἱοῦ
 Jo. 14:6. | 256 τῇ ... παθημάτων Phil. 3:10. | 257 τῷ ... βαπτίσματος Col. 2:12. |
 259 κρίσιν ... ὁ πατὴρ, see Jo. 5:22. | 263 πρωτότοκος τῶν νεκρῶν Apoc. 1:5. | 265 δεῖ
 ... 266 ἀθανασίαν I Cor. 15:52–53.

ἄφθαρσίαν καὶ τὸ θνητὸν τοῦτο ἐνδύσασθαι ἀθανασίαν. [54] ὅταν δὲ ταῦτα γένηται, καὶ τοῦτο γενήσεται τὸ καταποθῆναι εἰς νίκος τὸν θάνατον, ὡς στησομένης ἀπάσης μεταβολῆς καὶ κινήσεως ὅφ' ὧν ἁμαρτία καὶ δι' ἣν θάνατος, καὶ ἀκαταλύτου διαδεχομένης καταστάσεως αἰῶνος ἀντισταχθῇ-
 270 σομένου τῷ χρόνῳ τοῦτω, τότε καὶ πᾶν γόνυ κάμψει ἐπουρανίων καὶ ἐπιγείων καὶ καταχθονίων καὶ πᾶσα γλῶσσα ἐξομολογήσεται ὅτι Κύριος Ἰησοῦς Χριστὸς εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ πατρὸς. [55] ἀνάστασιν δὲ ὁμολογοῦμεν ἀνθρώπου τελείου, οὐ σώματος μόνου, οὐδὲ μόνης ψυχῆς, οὐδὲ γὰρ τοῦτο ἄνθρωπος. ἀλλ' ὥσπερ ἐνταῦθα ἄνθρωπός ἐστιν ὁ πράττων τὰ χεῖρω καὶ τὰ
 275 βελτίῳ, οὕτω καὶ τὸν ἐν τέλει ἀναστησόμενον καὶ κριθησόμενον ἄνθρωπον εἶναι δεῖ τέλειον· καὶ ἔτι οὐδὲ δικαίως κρίνοντος, ἀμφοτέρων πραξάντων, τὸ ἐν εὐθύνειν ἢ στεφανοῦν.

[56] Εἰ δέ τις διαποροίη διατί μὴ πρότερον, ἵνα καὶ σωθῶσι πλείονες, ἀλλ' ἐπ' ἐσχάτων τῶν χρόνων ὁ Χριστὸς ἀναφαίνεται, ἐκεῖνῳ ἂν εἴποιμεν·
 280 ὡς οὐκ ἀμελῶν τῶν προτέρων ἀνθρώπων ἐπὶ τοὺς ὕστερον ἦλθε σώσων, ἀλλ' οἷς ἔχρην κάκείνους ἐπιστραφῆναι καὶ διορθωθῆναι εἰσῆχθη πάντα. [57] τὰ δὲ ἦν ὁ λόγος ὁ ἔμφυτος, ἡ θέα τῆς κτίσεως, αἱ κατὰ διαφόρους καιροὺς καὶ τρόπους ἐναντίαι μεταβολαὶ δι' ὧν κακίας κολαζομένης καὶ ἀρετῆς (f. 159v) τιμωμένης. ἡ πρὸς τὸ καλὸν ἀφ' οὗ παρεξέπεσαμεν ἐπραγματεύετο ἄνοδος. ὧν ἐληλεγμένων ὡς ἀνοήτων, ἡ μεγάλη βοήθεια ἐπὶ κινδύνοις ἀτοπωτέροις ἐν ὕστεροις ἐλήλυθεν. [58] εἰ δέ τι κἀντῷ βάθει τῆς σοφίας ἑαυτῷ τι τῇ βραδυτῇ διωκεῖτο ἕτερον, τῷ πάντα παράγειν ἐν τῷ προσήκοντι ὁ χρόνους καὶ καιροὺς ἐν ἐξουσίᾳ θέμενος, παραχωρητέον αὐτῷ. ὥστε τῷ μὲν ἀνέχεσθαι τῶν παρελθόντων ἀσεβοῦντων ἀνθρώπων
 290 καὶ ἄρνούμενων, δεῖγμα μακροθυμίας αὐτῷ· τῷ δὲ σῶσαι τοὺς ὕστερον ἀφ' ἑαυτῶν μὴ ἐπιδραμόντας ἀλλ' ὕπ' ἐκείνου προκεκλημένους ἀγαθότητος· τῷ δὲ τὸν τρόπον εὑρεῖν δι' οὗ ὁ οὐρανὸς τοῖς ἐπὶ γῆς εὐπετῶς ἀνοιγῆσεται, ὅτι σοφῶς ὑμνηθήσεται.

[59] Ὅτι ἐπεὶ κἀν τῇ φύσει κἀν τῇ τέχνῃ κἀν τοῖς ἀνθρωπίνοις πᾶσιν, 295 οὐκ ἐν τῇ ἀρχῇ τὸ πλήρες, ἀλλ' ἐν τοῖς πέρασι, τί κωλύει κἀν τοῖς θεοῖς οὕτω κατὰ μικρὸν γενέσθαι τὴν πρόοδον καὶ ἀνάβασιν ἐπὶ τὴν ἀνωτάτω φιλοσοφίαν καὶ τελειωτάτην εὐσέβειαν, τὰ δὲ ἔμπροσθεν οἷον τύπους εἶναι καὶ προπαιδεύματα καὶ εἰσαγωγὰς τινὰς εἰς εὐσέβειαν; καὶ πρὸς τοῦτο ἔδει χεθῆναι τὴν κακίαν πᾶσαν, καὶ τὴν νόσον ἐαθῆναι προκόψαι ἐπὶ τὸ ἀνί-
 300 ατον, ἵνα πᾶσα ἀποδοκιμασθῇ θεραπεία καὶ σωτηρία, ἡ ἀπὸ παντὸς ἄλλου προσαγομένη, καὶ οὕτως ἐπιστῆναι τὸν σώζειν δυνάμενον θριαμβεύοντα

267 τὸ ... θάνατον I Cor. 15.54. | 271 πᾶσα ... 272 πατὸς, see Phil. 2.10–11. | 282 ὁ λόγος ὁ ἔμφυτος Jac. 1:21. | 286–287 τῷ βάθει τῆς σοφίας Rom. 11:33. | 288 ἐν ἐξουσίᾳ θέμενος Act. 1:7. | 298 ἔδει ... 299 πᾶσαν cf. Greg. Naz. In s. pascha PG 36.629 A (ἔδει χεθῆναι τὸ ἀγαθὸν).

ταύτην καὶ καταλύοντα. [60] ἐντεῦθεν πᾶν εἶδος κακίας παρὰ τῶν ἔμπροσθεν ἐφεύρηται καὶ πέπρακται καὶ δεδημοσίεuitαι· καὶ πᾶσα ἀσεβὴς ὑπόληψις καὶ δογματῶν διαφορὰ ἐφεῦρεν εἰσηγητὴν καὶ προστάτην.
 305 ἐντεῦθεν ὁ τῶν Ἰουδαίων νόμος ἐπεισαχθεὶς εἰς βοήθειαν οὐδὲν ἐτελείωσεν, οὐδὲ τῶν ἁμαρτημάτων ἀπήλλαξεν, οὐδὲ τὴν ψυχὴν ἐπτέρωσεν ἢ ἐθέωσε, τοῖς σωματικοῖς καθάπαξ καὶ σαρκωδεστέροις ἡσυχολημένος. [61] ἐντεῦθεν ἢ παρ' Ἑλλήσι φιλοσοφία ἐπὶ τῷ γινῶναι Θεὸν παρὰ Θεοῦ δοθεῖσα διήμαρτε πρὸς κατάληψιν τῶν τοῦ Θεοῦ μᾶλλον ἢ τοῦ Θεοῦ
 310 πεποιημένη τὴν ἔρευναν· ἔστιν ὅτε καὶ παρ' οἷς τις καὶ ἀρχὰς θεότητος εἰσηγησαμένη τὰς πηγὰς τῆς φανλότητος. [62] διὰ ταῦτα καὶ ἐπὶ τούτοις καὶ ἐν τέλει ὁ τοῦ Θεοῦ ἦλθε λόγος ἡμᾶς ἰασόμενος, ἀλλ' οὐκ ἄγγελος οὐδὲ πρέσβυς. καὶ ἂ μὴ νόμος μηδὲ σοφία ἀνθρωπίνη ἴσχυσεν, ὁ κατοικῶν τὸν οὐρανὸν τοῦ ἡμετέρου ἐπιλαβόμενος χεῖρονος ἀπεπλήρωσε.
 315 [63] Κατηγορεῖ δὲ λόγος τῶν πάλαι ἀσεβῶν ἀνθρώπων καὶ σοφία προεχόντων καὶ πρὸ τῆς τοῦ λόγου σαρκώσεως, ὅτι τηλικούτου διδασκαλίου θεογνωσίας πρὸ τῶν ὀφθαλμῶν ὄντος αὐτοῖς, τῆς ὀρωμένης κτίσεως Θεὸν οὐκ ἐπέγνωσαν, οὐδὲ ἀπὸ τῆς ἐν τοῖς κτίσμασιν ἐνθεωρουμένης σοφίας, διαμονῆς, τάξεως, κινήσεως ἐπὶ τὸ ποιητικὸν ἀνέδραμον αἴτιον. [64] οὐδὲ
 320 ἐκ τῶν δημιουργημάτων τὸν δημιουργὸν κατέλαβον, οἷος ἐκεῖνος τὴν δύναμιν, τὴν σοφίαν τὴν ἀγαθότητα, καίτοι τρανότερον σάλπιγγος τὸν ποιητὴν κηρυττούσης τῆς κτίσεως. (f. 160r) τὰ τε γὰρ ἀόρατα αὐτοῦ ἀπὸ κτίσεως κόσμου τοῖς ποιήμασι νοούμενα καθορᾶται, ἢ τε αἰδῖος αὐτοῦ δύναμις καὶ θεϊότης. [65] ἀλλ' ἐν τῇ περὶ Θεοῦ ζητήσῃ, ὥσπερ τυφλοῦ
 325 τυχόντες τοῦ χειραγωγοῦ, ἀπ' οὐρανοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἀοράτου ἐπὶ γῆς καὶ τὰ αἰσθητὰ ἀπωκίσθησαν ἐν τοῖς ὀρωμένοις καὶ ψηλαφωμένοις καὶ χειρὸς ἀνθρωπίνης πλάσμασι τὴν ὑπερκειμένην φύσιν συναριθμοῦμενοι, καὶ ταύτην ἐν πλήθει καὶ παθητὴν καὶ ταραχῆς γέμουσαν καὶ τοῖς ἄλλοις παρέχουσαν μύθοις τισὶ τὴν ἀθεΐαν κρατύνουσαν, αὐτοὶ τε στοιχήσαντες
 330 καὶ τοὺς ἄλλους πείσαντες.

[66] Πῶς γὰρ δὴ θεῖον τὸ προσκυνούμενον, ὃ σοφώτατοι, εἰ μὴ ἄκρως σεπτόν; πῶς δὲ τελεώτατον ἢ πληρέστατον ἢ δυνάμει κράτιστον ἢ σοφία ὑπερβάλλον ἢ νικῶν ἀρετῇ, εἰ ἐμπαθές, εἰ ἐνδεές, εἰ ἐλλέλοιπεν, εἰ διαφέρεται καὶ παραλλάττει πρὸς ἑαυτὸ τόποις, χρόνοις, ἔξεσι καὶ δυνάμεσι;
 335 καὶ πρὸ τούτων, πῶς πρῶτον ἀγαθὸν ἢ ἀρχή, εἰ κακοῦ χορηγόν, εἰ πολὺ-αρχον, εἰ στασιῶδες, καὶ τᾶλλα πάσχει ὅσα ποιηταὶ καὶ λογογράφοι λέγουσιν; οὐκ οὐν θεοὶ πολλοί· τί γὰρ δεῖ πλείονων τοῖς ἕνα μὴ

302 πᾶν εἶδος κακίας cf. *Rom.* 1:18 (ἀποκαλύπτεται ... πᾶσαν ἀσέβειν, κτλ.). | 312 οὐκ ... 313 πρέσβυς *Isa.* 63:9. | 322 τὰ τε ... 324 θεϊότης *Rom.* 1.20. | 335 εἰ πολὺαρχον, εἰ στασιῶδες cf. *Greg. Naz. De filio (orat. 29) 2.3* (τὸ τε γὰρ ἄναρχον ἄτακτον· τὸ τε πολὺαρχον στασιῶδες, καὶ οὕτως ἄναρχον, καὶ οὕτως ἄτακτον).

θεραπεύσασιν; οὐδὲ τὸ πλήθος πρὸ τοῦ ἑνός, τοῦμπαλιν δέ, πᾶν πλήθος
 δεύτερον τοῦ ἑνός, εἰ καὶ μετέχει πη τοῦ ἑνός. [67] ἔνθεν καὶ ἡμῖν εἰς Θεὸς
 340 ὁ πατήρ ἐξ οὗ τὰ πάντα καὶ ἡμεῖς εἰς αὐτόν, καὶ εἰς κύριος Ἰησοῦς Χριστὸς
 δι' οὗ τὰ πάντα, καὶ ἡμεῖς δι' αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἐν Πνεῦμα Ἁγίον ἐν ᾧ τὰ πάντα,
 τὸ τῷ Θεῷ καὶ Χριστῷ συνταπτόμενον. εἰ δὲ ἐν τούτοις θαυμάζεται καὶ τὰ
 παρ' ἡμῖν πῶς ἐν εἰ τρία ἢ πῶς μοναρχία τὸ ἀριθμοῖς διαιρούμενον, [68]
 λέγομεν ὡς μιᾶς οὔσης καὶ παντελείου τῆς ἀνωτάτω οὐσίας καὶ πρώτης
 345 καὶ ἑαυτῇ ταύτης καὶ ὁμοίας κάλλει, δυνάμει, δόξει, καὶ αἰδιότητι, ἡ κατὰ
 τὸ αἴτιον αὐτῇ καὶ αἰτιατὸν διαφορὰ θεωρεῖται. ὁ μὲν γὰρ ἔσται ἀρχὴ καὶ
 πηγὴ μόνη τῆς ὑπερουσίου θεότητος, τὰ δ' ἐκεῖθεν ἐκβλύζοντα καὶ προ-
 ἰόντα. καὶ τῷ μὲν εἰς ἐν ἀναφέρεται αἴτιον τὸν πατέρα τὰ ἐξ αὐτοῦ. [69]
 καὶ ἔτι τῷ ταυτῷ τῆς οὐσίας καὶ δυνάμεως καὶ θελήσεως ἡ μοναρχία
 350 κρατύνεται, τῷ δὲ διαιρεῖσθαι ταῖς ὑποστάσεσι τὰ ἐκεῖθεν ὄντα ἀχρόνως
 καὶ ὁμοτίμως.

[70] Ὁ πλοῦτος τῶν ἀγαθῶν ἐμφανίζεται· καὶ γὰρ διὰ μέσης ἔδει
 θεότητος τὸν ἐπὶ πάντων Θεὸν ἐπὶ τὰ κτίσματα προελθεῖν. διὰ τοῦτο καὶ
 τῶν κλήσεων ὡς τῷ μονογενεῖ προσάπτομεν, αἱ μὲν πρὸς τὴν αἰτίαν τὴν
 355 ἀναφορὰν ἔχουσι, καὶ ὡς ἐκεῖθεν ἵνα μία αἰτία πιστεῦνται καὶ ἀρχὴ ἥς
 πάντα ἐξάπτεται. [71] αἱ δὲ τῶν εἰς ἡμᾶς αὐτοῦ δωρεῶν δηλοῦσι τὸ
 πολυειδὲς καὶ διάφορον· φῶς γὰρ αὐτὸν ἀληθινὸν καὶ δόξης ἀπαύγασμα
 λέγομεν ὅτι ἐξ ἡλίου καὶ ὡς τὸν σκότον τῆς ψυχῆς ἀφαιρούμενον· καὶ
 ζωὴν ἐπειδὴ ζῶμεν ἐν αὐτῷ καὶ κινούμεθα· λόγον δὲ ὅτι ἐκ νοῦ καὶ ὡς
 360 αἰτίαν τῶν ὄντων καὶ ὡς ἀπάγοντα τῆς ἀλογίας ἡμᾶς· εἰκόνα δὲ τοῦ
 ἀοράτου Θεοῦ καὶ χαρακτῆρα τῆς ὑποστάσεως· καὶ υἱὸν μονογενῆ διὰ τε
 τὴν ἐκεῖθεν (f. 160v) πρόοδον καὶ τὴν τῆς οὐσίας ταυτότητα· καὶ ὁδὸν καὶ
 θύραν ὅτι εὐθυποροῦμεν καὶ εἰσαγόμεθα. [72] ὅτι δὲ ἐκεῖ τὸ αἰτιώδες καὶ
 γόνιμον δηλὸν ἐξ ὧν ἐνταῦθα φαντάζονται. ὡς γὰρ ἐκ Θεοῦ τοῖς οὐσι καὶ
 365 οὐσία καὶ ζωὴ καὶ στάσις καὶ κίνησις καὶ ἄλλα, οὕτως καὶ ἡ αἰτία καὶ τὸ
 ὑπ' αἰτίαν καὶ τὸ γεννῶν καὶ γεννώμενον προελήλυθε, δι' ὧν τὰ πάντα καὶ
 εἰσὶ καὶ γίνονται καὶ συνέχονται, καὶ ἄλλο ἄλλου προβλητικὸν ἢ γεννη-
 τικόν. ἔνθεν καὶ πᾶσα πατριὰ καὶ υἰότης ἐν οὐρανοῖς καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς ἐκ τῆς
 πρώτης πατρότητος καὶ υἰότητος ὀνομάζεται. [73] ἐντεῦθεν ἡ ἐν τῷ παντὶ
 370 καθόλου φύσις, τὰς ἐν εἴδει προήγαγε καὶ αἱ ἐν μέρει καὶ κατ' εἶδος

338 –339 πᾶν πλήθος δεύτερον τοῦ ἑνός Proclus *Inst. theol.* 5.1. | 339 μετέχει πη τοῦ ἑνός Proclus *Inst. theol.* 1.1. ἡμῖν εἰς ... 341 ἡμεῖς δι' αὐτοῦ, see I *Cor.* 8:6. | 352 Ὁ πλοῦτος ... ἐμφανίζεται cf. *Rom.* 2.4, 9.23; II *Cor.* 8.2; *Eph.* 1.7, etc. | 357 φῶς ... ἀληθινὸν *Jo.* 1:9. δόξης ἀπαύγασμα *Hebr.* 1:3. | 358 καὶ ὡς τὸν σκότον τῆς ψυχῆς, cf. *Greg. Naz. In s. bapt. PG* 36 col. 365. | 359 ζῶμεν ... κινούμεθα *Act.* 17:28. | 360 εἰκόνα ... 361 ὑποστάσεως, see *Hebr.* 1:3. | 362 καὶ ὁδὸν ... 363 εἰσαγόμεθα cf. *Greg. Naz. Cum consumm. Jesus hos serm. PG* 36 col. 285D–288 A. | 368 ἔνθεν ... 369 ὀνομάζεται *Eph.* 3:15.

διεστῶσαι τὰ ἅτομα. ἐντεῦθεν αἱ πρόνοιαι τῶν ὑπερτέρων αἱ ἐπιστροφαὶ
 τῶν δευτέρων. ἐντεῦθεν ὁ μέγας δεσμός τῆς ἀναλογίας καὶ ὁμοιότητος, ὃ
 τὰ ὄντα συνέχεται καὶ ἀλληλουχεῖται καὶ διεξάγεται. ἐντεῦθεν τοῖς ἐν γῇ
 καὶ παθητοῖς στοιχείοις, τὰ οὐράνια τὰς γενέσεις παρέχουσιν. [74] ὁ γὰρ
 375 ἐκ μὴ ὄντων παραγαγὼν Θεός, οὐχ ἃ δίδωσιν εἰς ὑπαρξιν καὶ τελείωσιν
 παρ' ἐτέρου δανείζεται, ἀλλ' ἐξ ὧν ἔχει καὶ παρ' ἑαυτοῦ, οὕτως ἐν Θεῷ
 οὐσία καὶ ἐν ἡμῖν καὶ ζωὴ καὶ νοῦς καὶ κάλλος καὶ φῶς καὶ ἀλήθεια. καὶ
 ἔτι πρὸ τούτων, τὸ αἰτιώδες καὶ γόνιμον, καὶ ἄλλα. [75] οὐχ ὁμοίως
 μέντοι ταῦτα ἐν τῷ αἰτίῳ καὶ ἐν τοῖς ἀποτελέσμασιν, ἀλλ' ἄπειρον τὸ
 380 διάφορον καὶ τὸ τῆς ὑπεροχῆς ἀπαράβλητον καὶ ἀσύγκριτον. ἃ γὰρ ἐκεῖ
 ἀύλως καὶ ἀμερίστως καὶ αἰωνίως καὶ ἀπαθῶς, ταῦτα ὧδε ὕλικῶς καὶ
 μεμερισμένως καὶ ἐγγρόνως καὶ ἐμπαθῶς. καὶ τὸ ὅλον εἰπεῖν ἐν τούτοις,
 ἰδέα τῶν ὄντων καὶ μέτρον καὶ τάξις ὁ δημιουργός. καὶ τῇ ἐκεῖθεν διαφόρῳ
 μεθέξει τῇ ἐπὶ ποσὸν καὶ ποιὸν τοῖς οὖσι τὸ πρῶτον καὶ δεῦτερον καὶ
 385 χειρὶν καὶ τίμιον.

[76] Ἄ μὲν οὖν περὶ τοῦ εὐαγγελίου καὶ τοῦ τῆς ζωῆς λόγου ὃν
 καταγγέλλω, ὥς ἂν διὰ βραχέων εἰπεῖν εἶχον, καὶ ὑμᾶς ἀκοῦσαι περὶ
 τούτων πρῶτως ἐχρῆν ταῦτα. ἐκεῖνο δὲ ἐπὶ τούτοις ἔργον ἐμοὶ παρακα-
 λέσαι τοὺς σοφωτάτους ὑμῶν, μὴ τοῦ τοσοῦτου ἀπολειφθῆναι καλοῦ,
 390 μὴδὲ εἰς χεῖρας ἐληλυθότος τοῦ ἀγαθοῦ ἀμελῆσαι, μὴδὲ ἐπίγνωσιν ἀπόσα-
 σθαι Θεοῦ. [77] πρὸ γὰρ τῆς σωτηρίου ἐπιφανείας, ἴσως καὶ συγγνώμη ἦν
 τοῖς τότε ἀγνοοῦσι τῶν ἀνθρώπων καὶ πλανωμένοις καὶ ἀντὶ Θεοῦ τὰ τοῦ
 Θεοῦ σέβουσι. νυνὶ δὲ τοῦ λόγου καταγγελθέντος τῷ κόσμῳ, καὶ τῆς
 ἀληθινῆς λατρείας τοῖς ἀνθρώποις ὑποδειχθείσης, καὶ ἐληλεγμένου ὥς πᾶν
 395 γεννητὸν ἢ παθητὸν ἢ ὀρώμενον ἢ κακίας ὑπαίτιον ἢ χαῖρον αἰσχροτήσιν,
 οὐ Θεός, οὐδὲ λατρευτόν, καὶ ὥς δεῖ τὸν ἀληθῶς ζητοῦντα Θεὸν ὑπερ-
 βῆναι τῇ διανοίᾳ τὰ αἰσθητά. [78] τὸ καὶ ἔτι τοῖς ὀρωμένοις ἐναπομένειν,
 καὶ παρὰ τῶν νεκρῶν αἰτεῖσθαι ζωὴν, καὶ τὸ σέβας ἀφοσιοῦσθαι τοῖς ἀπὸ
 χειρῶν ἀνθρωπίνων πλάσμασι καὶ μορφώμασιν, ὃ μόνῳ τῷ ἐπὶ πάντων (f.
 400 161r) Θεῷ προσοφείλεται, μὴ καὶ παντελῶς ἄτοπον καὶ κινδύνου τοῦ
 μεγίστου παραίτιον; οὐ πόρρω ἡμῶν γενέσθαι Θεὸν ἐπικαλοῦμαι τὸν
 σώσοντα. πόσον γὰρ καὶ ὑπερέχει τοῦ προσκυνοῦντος τὸ λατρευόμενον.
 [79] ἵνα καὶ πάλιν περὶ τῶν αὐτῶν εἴποιμεν, ὥς ἂν εἴῃ τὸ μὲν τιμῶν, τὸ δὲ
 405 τιμώμενον· καὶ τὸ μὲν τὴν ἀνωτάτῳ χώραν ἔχειν, τὸ δὲ τὴν πολλοστέν ἀπ'
 ἐκείνου οὐ σώματα ἅμφω, οὐκ ἐκ στοιχείων, οὐ διαλυτὰ ὅτι καὶ σύνθετα,

371 αἱ πρόνοιαι τῶν ὑπερτέρων cf. Ps.-Dion. Areopag. *De div. nom.* 152. | 372 ὁ μέγας
 δεσμός τῆς ἀναλογίας is a general reference to various places in Pl. *Tim.* For the
 exact expression, see e. g. Albinus *Epit. doct. Plat.* 12.2, Proclus *In Plat. Tim.* 2.25.

393 λόγῳ ante κόσμῳ del. scriba

οὐ γεννητά, οὐ παθητά, οὐ τρεπόμενα. ταῦτα δεῖ καὶ ὑμᾶς παρ' αὐτῶν
 διαγνῶναι τῇ ἐξετάσει τῶν λογισμῶν καὶ διελεῖν ἄριστά τε καὶ τελεώτατα.
 τί μὲν Θεός; τί δὲ καὶ κτίσις; [80] καὶ προσθέσθαι τῷ κρείττονι ἀνακε-
 χωρηκότας τοῦ χείρονος πείθουμαι, καὶ ἔτι περιχαρῆναι τῇ εὐκολίᾳ τῆς τοῦ
 410 ἀγαθοῦ μεταλήψεως. οὐ γὰρ ἀποδημῆσαι δεῖ μακράν, οὐδὲ θάλασσαν
 διαβῆναι ὃ κὰν τῇ ἀναλήψει τῶν μαθημάτων γένοιτ' ἂν, ἀλλ' ἐγγύς σου τὸ
 ῥῆμα ἐστὶν ἐν τῷ στόματί σου καὶ τῇ καρδίᾳ σου. ῥῆμα δὲ λέγω τῆς
 πίστεως ὃ κηρύττομεν, καὶ τὴν ὁμολογίαν τοῦ ὀνόματος αὐτοῦ. καρδίᾳ μὲν
 γὰρ πιστεύεται εἰς δικαιοσύνην, στόματι δὲ ὁμολογεῖται εἰς σωτηρίαν. [81]
 415 σωφρόνων δὲ ἀνδρῶν καὶ ἀπόντα πειρᾶσθαι κτᾶσθαι τὰ διαφέροντα, κὰν
 ἰδρῶτες, κὰν πόνοι, κὰν χρημάτων εἰσφοραὶ πρὸ τῆς εὐτυχίας
 εἰσφέρονται· προκειμένων δὲ καὶ προῖκα χαριζομένων τὸ μὴ μεταλαβεῖν,
 ἀλλὰ ῥαστώνῃ προίεσθαι, οὐ τῶν ὀρθοῖς στοιχούντων ἐστὶ λογισμοῖς. ὃ μὴ
 ὑμεῖς πάθειτε σοφώτατοι, ἀλλὰ τὸ μὲν εἰπεῖν καὶ σπεῖραι τὸν λόγον καὶ
 420 διαγγεῖλαι τὰ σώζοντα, ἔστω ἑμὸν· τὸ δὲ ἀκοῦσαι καὶ πεισθῆναι καὶ καρ-
 ποφορῆσαι γενέσθω ὑμέτερον. [82] καὶ ὥς κὰν τοῖς ἄλλοις διαφανῆς ἡ
 πόλις ἐν Ἑλλάσι, σοφία καὶ πολιτεία καὶ προστασία τῶν ἀεὶ καταφευ-
 γόντων καὶ δεομένων, οὕτω κὰν τῇ εὐσεβείᾳ διαφερέτω, μὴ σίτον μηδὲ
 κριθήν, βρῶσιν ἀπολλυμένην καὶ ῥέουσιν, ὑπὸ πτερωτοῖς τισιν ἄρμασιν
 425 ὥς οἱ πάλοι μῦθοι διήγγελλον, τοῖς ἀπανταχοῦ γῆς [ῆν] διανέμουσα {...}
 καὶ νῦν τὸ φιλότιμον ἐνδεικνύσθω {...} ἀλλὰ τὸν οὐράνιον ἄρτον, τὸν
 λόγον τὸν ζωτικὸν δηλαδὴ ὃ ψυχὰι τρέφονται πεινῶσαι Θεόν, ἄρτι κατα-
 βεβλημένον ὑμῖν, ἴσα καὶ κόκκῳ σινάπεως, {...} αὐξῆσαι δὲ τῇ μεγαλονοίᾳ
 τῇ παρ' ὑμῖν καὶ τῇ τοῦ λόγου δυνάμει καὶ τῷ τῆς γλώττης <λόγῳ>.

Declamation of the learned monk Sophonias: Paul's speech in Athens

[1] This is not now the first time that I come before a court or am put on trial by jury. Nor do I only now begin to offer a word in defense of the Word on whose behalf I serve as ambassador. On the contrary, earlier

411 ἐγγύς ... 412 ἐστὶν *Rom.* 10:8. | 412 ἐν τῷ ... 413 κηρύττομεν, cf. *Rom.* 10:8. | 424 βρῶσιν ἀπολλυμένην cf. *Jo.* 6:27. ὑπὸ ... 425 διήγγελλον: Athens seems to be personified here as a goddess in a winged chariot (cf. the image of Athena in such a chariot evoked by Euripides *I.A.* 250–1), something normally associated with Triptolemus. The image of Athens in a winged chariot distributing food is perhaps a reference to the distribution of food at festivals such as the Panathenaea. | 426 τὸν οὐράνιον ἄρτον *Jo.* 6:31–32. | 427 ὃ ... Θεόν cf. Greg. Naz. *In laud. Bas. magn. Orat.* 43, 36.2–3 (ed. Boulenger). | 428 κόκκῳ σινάπεως cf. *Mt.* 13:31, *Mc.* 4:31.

406 δεῖ in mg., δὴ in textu scr. | 416 εὐτυχίας] ἐντυχίας cod.

tested and tried before many tribunals, subjected to many a trial, surviving them all by the power and divinity of the word I preach, at last I am summoned to the Areopagus. [2] I have yet to stand before a juster or worthier tribunal than this, it seems to me. I have never encountered judges more wise and benevolent than you nor ones more capable of detecting the truth of the matter. Accordingly I have the utmost confidence and hope in the justice of what the jurors decide.

[3] Men of Athens, your rule appears to surpass all others not only in wisdom but also in virtue. Noble action embellished by fitting speech is the fruit of your great learning. Indeed, you take equal care in being able both to speak and to act well. This is evident from the fact that your city has always remained a guide concerning duty as well as being a partner in the best of undertakings for our ethnically related Greeks and for other more distant peoples. It is evident, too, from the way in which you have treated me now: [4] You have not sent me off as an ignorant foreigner or shown anger towards me as an author of strange precepts or indicted me for impiety as one differing in religion. Instead you gave me your right hand in friendship and considered my direct way of speaking and my simple dress and my apparent poverty as something of a wonder. [5] This is the first thing, gentlemen, for which one might praise you and your city – your benevolence and gentleness towards visitors and those in need. The second is one especially valued by me, namely, the freedom given me to speak and your insistence on my fearlessly proclaiming the word I bring, persuading both barbarians and Greeks to share in it as in the greatest and most divine gift, as I travel over land and sea. [6] Furthermore you, though Athenians, have not disdained to hear a Palestinian declaiming in the Areopagus, the court honored above all others among you. In the way in which you have been minded to me and with the same benevolence and wisdom with which you have treated me, be, accordingly, likeminded judges of what I say, preferring nothing to the truth – not personal appearance, not the law of the city, not its customs. [7] Moreover, I beg and beseech of you not to be shocked at my unaccustomed manner of speech and strange dialect or my lack of grace nor to receive my speech with distaste like men fickle in matters of wisdom. Rather, be prepared to hear me as I speak – familiarly and according to my upbringing. Attend to this alone: whether I tell the truth or not. [8] The excellence of a herald and of such as I lies in this: to announce the message of God and to bear witness to what one has seen and heard and been commanded. The excellence of wise listeners and of such as you lies in this: to discern the better course and choose to serve the living and true God, detaching yourselves from

visible and tangible things that have nothing of the divine and adored nature.

[9] I shall deal briefly with who I am and whence I have come to you, as not being necessary information. About the Word, however, whose representative and ambassador I am and which I feel compelled to proclaim to each and all, I shall discourse at greater length, for the divine must take precedence over the human in all cases.

[10] I am Jewish by race but was born in Tarsus of Cilicia. I chanced to have parents moderate in both character and wealth who, on account of certain actions, were deemed worthy of Roman citizenship, and so I was brought up as a free citizen. [11] I moved to my compatriots in Palestine and was thoroughly trained according to our ancestral education. Education among Jews means knowing and correctly reciting our legal customs, and understanding the sense both of the lawgiver and of the sayings of the prophets after him, because the sense lies mostly in the hidden meaning. Education among Jews means both devotion to religion and dedication to ritual prayers. [12] Investigating the matter, I emulated the most esteemed of the groups among us and swore allegiance to the Pharisees. I partook in our philosophical training in so far as native custom allowed. The Hebrew custom is to acquire only so much of knowledge as is necessary, but not to investigate any further nor to be constantly concerned with it nor to busy oneself with that which is not easily grasped by means of common reasonings. You will hardly find any Jew who is an investigator or an innovator in such things. The hereditary customs appeared strong and firmly fixed when unshaken by any novelty. [13] God's promise to Abraham, the founder of our race, as is written in the Holy Scriptures, was that the nations would be blessed in his offspring, and in these final days the promise has now reached its fulfilment, for it is impossible for God to lie. In addition to many other witnesses, I myself have become a witness to the manifestation of salvation and grace to the world. [14] I proclaim that the Word of God, existing before the ages, a living being, ever co-existing with God, through whom and through whose might and wisdom the begetting Father fashioned this world, has now by the good pleasure of the God of the universe appeared in human form and lived among men in Palestine, where it had been told in prophesy that he would live. [15] God joined with man in order that he might perfect the nature of his own creatures and so that our downfallen nature might be restored, so that man, retreating from the things that are not, might recognize the true God, and so that the virtue of heaven might also dwell on earth,

once the teacher from above had arrived, and so that the indeterminate and mobile might find stability next to the immobile.

[16] A pure Virgin was therefore entrusted with the child-bearing in order that there might be no defilement in the same place as God through whom salvation comes. A new woman thus ushered in a new age – a mother without a man, a virgin giving birth. It was in this way that the in-dwelling of the Word in the flesh was destined to come to pass. [17] Finally when, by both deeds and words, he manifested who he was and whence he had come and by what means man might be saved, he went to a voluntary death on the cross, in order that he might undo, by judgment and justice, the power of those ruling the darkness of this age in hostility to us, and so that he might destroy the tyranny of the rebellious forces that have led to idols and fabrications fashioned by our own human hands, which separate us from God our Maker and give room to passions by an assault on the intellect. [18] He has destroyed, then, our death by his own death and has by his mortification determined our life and loosened by his burial the bonds of sin. He rose on the third day, as we saw, and ascended to heaven and returned to his dominion, becoming the first fruit and prelude of the common resurrection of us all at the end of time. He reveals where those who have believed in him shall dwell hereafter and who shall be deemed worthy of glory. [19] In sum, this was the goal of the divine disposition and the will of the God of the universe, which he accomplishes through his word. Its fulfilment means that man should be divinized and attain his pristine dignity and receive that beauty with which he shone before the fall. The Jewish prophets announced that these things would come to pass, though they were born long before the events. Many of the Greek poets have been in agreement with them, as well as many of the more perfect among the philosophizers, those who have in many respects hit upon reality.

[20] Convinced myself by the truth of these things, I come to you and proclaim them to you. I have become a minister of God's mysteries and a servant of his secrets. I urge the foremost among the Greeks to share in the Wisdom that has appeared from heaven, and I declare that God has now reconciled the world to himself through the mediation of his Son. [21] Accordingly, I have traversed many islands and mainlands and spread the fruit of the good news among many peoples, with many toils and trials opposing me. Yet I have overcome them all in Christ who empowers me in accordance with his promise to strengthen me when he first sent me on my mission. [22] Now, for the same purpose, I have arrived on Attic soil and appear before your tribunal, both proclaiming

and pleading the same case, namely, to reject impiety and worldly desires and to live chastely, justly, piously in the present age, in expectation of the great hope and glorious manifestation of our great God and Savior, [23] neither postponing that which brings salvation nor fleeing the approach to the Word due to the consciousness of evil deeds, as though you would not be welcome or able to share in the good, as being thoroughly corrupted. [24] Look at me: once I was an insolent persecutor of those belonging to Christ who were put to trial under a great multitude of wicked hardships. Now, however, I have been granted mercy as the herald and apostle of that which I once sought to destroy. So lay eager hold of your own salvation.

[25] This, then, had to be said, and it was granted me. I repeat that I was not among the first followers of the Word nor did I at first swear allegiance to Christ our teacher but belonged to his persecutors and abusers. Whereupon I caused every injury to those serving the gospel message, lifting my hand against them, dragging them to trial, stirring up the people and inciting the rage of those in power unto their injury. [26] Being a zealot of hereditary traditions, I was filled with disgust, as though our traditions were being violated as the gospel grew in strength. But then God had mercy on me in my headlong rush and called upon me from heaven. In the middle of my way at midday, a divine voice came to me, revealing Christ and putting an end to my wrongdoing. [27] Indeed he incapacitated my eyes with the lightening flash that accompanied his voice but, after my instruction and initiation, he healed me again. From there he sent me to mete out even to others what I myself had heard and been taught. He commanded me to offer myself as a monument of repentance and a way to conversion and a model for those who would believe in him. [28] He sent me, naked of every provision, on a long journey, throwing me upon the raging waves to take my stand before the kings and peoples of states. By a custom confirmed over time, he promised only his influence [29] which saves when present and often breathes life into the already dead by the great force of its impact. When he takes away the help to the word (*logos*) that comes from the word (*logos*), he adds the help of miraculous signs in order that what I have said might be confirmed not by artful skill or human persuasion but by divine alone.

[30] The mystery is rejected and gainsaid by many, and the excess of goodness risks becoming an excuse for ignorance. The magnitude of the gifts transcending every intellect is disbelieved and even held in contempt due to the low estate of the preachers, so that such things are scarcely believed. For ordinary citizens have been preferred to men of

high rank, and paupers to educated gentlemen renowned for both fame and wealth. [31] A further reason is the difficulty of the commandments. Hearing such things is disagreeable to those who are enslaved and bowed down and living in sin. We not <only> castigate the ends of sinful actions, but we even attach blame to their beginnings. We require an account not only of deeds but also of words and thoughts. [32] We demand that one turn away from the here and now and live for the hereafter, convinced that we have a better and more lasting possession in heaven than this perishing one on earth. It is not merely the person who does not do what he ought not who is admired among us. Rather a good person is reproached for not being perfect. [33] You see, it is not the withdrawal from base actions but the attachment to better things that we judge to be perfection. The union with the most pure and the most bright for which we strive resides in nothing other than in complete holiness and sanctity. Surely we communicate with God when we also resemble him. According to the sage, it is unright for the impure to lay hold of the pure. Therefore, the reception of the gospel message is arduous. [34] Further, the celebrated Cross and the outrages before the Cross disturb and upset rational thoughts. Finally, they think that to say that the highest and primary Essence was to such an extent attached to our inferior nature is not serious or decent. [35] Most people, I think, in this respect are ignorant of the words of divine disposition and do not gaze at the depth of wisdom. Through these the universe is governed and guided by him who in so many cases produces opposites by means of opposites and the most honorable things by means of the most common. From corruption he produces generation, and from imperfect beginnings the most perfect forms in nature, so that they may be admired all the more and so that every delusion of human opinions and assumptions may be trampled down. [36] And, because the knowledge of God did not come to men through philosophical wisdom, he pleases to save believers by the foolishness of the gospel message. Surely, the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and his weakness conquers overwhelming power and his apparent illogicality all intellect and reason. The God of the universe is not going to make use of human criteria, nor will the divine and ineffable nature follow our laws and dispositions or our assumptions about good and evil. [37] Again, it is necessary that the mobile be contained by the immobile, the indeterminate be ordered by the due measure, and that illusory becoming be shaped by that which truly is. For God is an impartial law unto us, as someone says, and the inclination towards the higher realm is adaptation and perfection.

[38] Talk of the Cross, though it has seemed and still seems foolishness for those who are perishing and living in godlessness, is surely not so for those who are saved and who know God, but quite the opposite. Indeed, we believe that the highest might of God is revealed in the Cross. Though it seems so to some, belief in the crucified One is not shameful now to me. May no other good accrue to me than to boast in the Cross of Christ through whom the world is crucified to me and I to the world! [39] Not indeed from madmen but from the sane should one accept judgments about reality. To some people honey seems bitter and the sun unpleasant, for example, to those who are feverish or suffering from some disease of the eyes. So what then? Is this so in reality? Certainly not. Therefore, we must follow God and true and sane discourse (*logos*) and in this way come to judgments about reality. [40] If anything unbelievable or impossible is expressed in the word (*logos*), it is in order that we may meditate in our thoughts on how God cares for the human race, how he has partaken of human nature, how he enlivened his own temple three days dead, how he saves us by these means, we who were lost, and how he sets the fallen soul upright again and deems us worthy of an ascent to the summit of the beatific vision in the best of company.

[41] Inasmuch as every nature is noble because it comes from the Good, it is not unseemly or unworthy for the Demiurge to make use of his own creatures and offspring, most especially when he is carrying out divine salvation for the nature he has assumed. The Word will remain undefiled even when it appears in our human condition. There is no more a diminishment of his glory due to the assumption of the inferior nature than there is an increase of his majesty due to his love for humankind. [42] We shall not fear lest his impassible and blessed nature suffer any change by the communion of the immaterial and unmembered with matter nor by the descent of the invisible to the visible realm. That would be as if the sun were defiled by traversing all things with its rays or as if fire were stained by mingling with unclean substances or, even more, as if the intellect, being the place of the forms, had been damaged in its nature by their reception, or the faculty of sense by sense impressions – thus we may understand the things beyond us from the things among us. [43], Since God himself always contains created beings and has forethought for them, when is he ever separated from them? Does he not constantly reach across the universe and is beyond the universe? Does he not as Being transcend every being in an undefiled manner? Does not the wise man say that the One is never absent from any being? Even if he is by nature infinite and remote from

things that have been brought into existence, still both by his power and operation, he is in contact with intellect and souls and bodies. [44] All things are full of God, as the poet says. And we are his offspring, as he puts it. One of our prophets from Palestine states: "I fill up the heavens and the earth, says the Lord." Thus, the fact that the Creator bends down to his creatures in danger and saves them is not an example of weakness but of his surpassing might, as it has been said. [45] Even Plato philosophizes about this in the same way – if you would rather put your trust in your own native writers and follow their opinions – when he introduces the Demiurge taking hold of this storm-tossed and bewildered universe in danger of sinking into the region of diversity. [46] For having sat at the helm, and as Plato says, having become the helmsman of the universe, he thus saves it from the billows and cures what is sick. This restoration which he carries out in the universal case concerns, in the particular case, ourselves who are the most honorable part of the whole as regards this world. Indeed, the rational human being transcends every irrational and inanimate thing in the visible realm. [47] In another discourse I say that all things in heaven and on earth are recapitulated and renewed in Christ, because we believe that all things were created in him, but our doctrine does not imply that the assumption of the flesh by the Word limits the infinite or circumscribes the divine power or that the divine nature is in any way changed by its communion with human nature. [48] Rather, since there was a need of salvation, and this had to come about through communion, and since it was not possible for him to carry his divinity unclothed, he put on a body as a kind of veil in order that our human condition might be sanctified in as close proximity to his own as possible, as has been said, and in order that the condemnation might be abolished when death was put to death by the flesh. As through one man, death entered the world when he disobeyed the commandment, so again resurrection and restoration came about through one man who had no sin. [49] Thus, we say that the inaccessible has become accessible for us, his creatures, with the divine nature losing none of its glories. Thus we see the perfect One emptying himself, yet remaining what he was, the free One taking the form of a slave, and the immortal One who is above suffering becoming obedient to the Father unto death on the cross. [50] For it became him for whom are all things and by whom are all things, who had brought many children into glory, to perfect the author of their salvation, by his passion. God made him a propitiatory mediator between himself and us and granted access to himself to those who go through him. [51] For no one goes to the Father but through the Son,

nor does anyone know the Father but the Son who reveals him. He is called both sacrificial victim and lamb as well as priest because he has offered himself up to God for our sakes. Just as by our sharing in his sufferings, he grants dispassion, and by our being buried with him through baptism, he gives us life with him, so too by the reception of his body in the way in which he gave us the right to receive it, he grants us immortality. [52] The Father has given to him all right of judgment to be exercised at the end of the ages, for God will bring every man to trial and demand an account of his manner of life. He who will then judge will also effect the much discussed resurrection of the dead. [53] He is the one who has already become its author and bears the title of the first-born from the dead. For the trumpet shall sound at the last, and the dead shall rise again incorruptible, and we shall be changed. For this corruptible being must put on incorruption; and this mortal must put on immortality. [54] When that happens, this too will happen: death will be swallowed up in victory. Thus, there will be a cessation of all the change and motion from which sin arises and, through sin, death, when a state of everlasting restoration will succeed this age. Then will every knee bend in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue will proclaim that Jesus Christ is Lord unto the glory of God the Father. [55] But we confess a resurrection of the whole human being, not of the body alone, not of the soul alone – for that is not a human being. Rather, just as down here it is a human being who does right and wrong, so too it needs be that the one who is raised up in the end and judged must be a full human being. Both parts having acted, the whole must be censured or rewarded by a righteous judge.

[56] If anyone should raise the objection why Christ has appeared in the final age and not earlier so that more persons might be saved, we would answer: It is not because of indifference to people of earlier times that he came to save people of later times, but all the means were introduced even for the former for whom it was necessary that they be converted and restored. [57] These were: implanted reason, the contemplation of creation, the changes contrary in season and manner by which vice is disciplined and virtue honored. The way back to the goodness from which we had fallen was elaborated. However, these earlier people proved to be foolish, so the great help arrived in later times of more evil dangers. [58] But if he who sets times and seasons with authority holds one thing in the depths of his wisdom but brings about some other thing in a slow way by accomplishing all things at the proper moment, then it must be allowed him. Thus, while putting up with the impious men and deniers of the past is proof of his patience,

saving people of later times who ran to him not of their own accord but were called beforehand is proof of his goodness. His finding the way in which heaven might be easily opened for those on earth is proof that he will be wisely hymned.

[59] Further, since both in nature and in art and all human endeavours, perfection comes not at the start but at the finish, what prevents there also being in divine matters gradual progress and advancement to the highest philosophy and most perfect religion? The things that went before were as types and preparations and introductions to piety. In this respect it was necessary to allow every wickedness to be consumed and every disease to advance to the incurable point so that each treatment and remedy taken from anywhere else might be tested. In this way the One with the ability to remedy had to be recognized as he triumphed over it and abolished it. [60] Hence every form of wickedness was invented and practiced and manifested among men of former times, and every impious concept and doctrinal aberrance found its inventor and advocate. Hence the law of the Jews, introduced as a help, did not perfect in any way nor free from sins nor wing nor deify the soul, because it was preoccupied with material and carnal aspects. [61] Hence the philosophy of the Greeks given by God unto the knowledge of God erred in its conception, making an investigation of the things of God rather than of God himself. There has sometimes been philosophy among some which has taught that the sources of baseness are even principles of divinity. [62] Because of and in the midst of all this, in the end there came to heal us neither an angel nor ambassador but the Word of God himself. That which neither the law nor human wisdom could do, he who dwells in heaven, having assumed our lower nature, accomplished.

[63] But reason (*logos*) accuses impious men of the past before the incarnation of the Word (*logos*), even those preeminent in wisdom, because, though such a doctrine of divine knowledge was before their very eyes, they did not recognize God from his visible creation. Nor from the wisdom that may be contemplated in created things, nor from their maintenance, order, movement, did those men infer the creative cause. [64] Nor, by means of his artworks, did they apprehend the Artisan, such as he is in power, in wisdom, in goodness, and yet Creation proclaims the Creator more clearly than a trumpet. For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, both his eternal might and deity. [65] Yet, as though they had found a blind man for a guide in their investigation concerning God, they were transported away from heaven

and the invisible realm to earth and the perceptible realm. They placed transcendent nature on a level with things seen and felt, with manmade products. They laid down and taught others that this transcendent nature is multiple and passible and full of agitation and giving agitation to others, confirming the godlessness in certain myths.

[66] But, o wisest of men, how is that which is worshipped divine unless utterly venerable? How most perfect or most full or mightiest in power or transcendent in wisdom or supreme in virtue, if it is subject to passion or deficient or lacking anything, if it undergoes change or alteration with respect to itself as to place, time, habit and power? Again, how is it the first good or principle if it is an instigator of evil or many-ruled or factious or suffers in all those other respects that poets and writers say? Surely there can not be many gods. Why is there a need of many for those who have not served even one? Multitude is not prior to unity. On the contrary, all multitude is secondary to unity, even though it somehow shares in unity. [67] Hence, too, for us there is one God, the Father, from whom all things come, and we unto him. And there is one Lord, Jesus Christ, by whom are all things, and we by him. And there is one Holy Spirit, in whom are all things, who arrays them all with God and Christ. But if one should marvel at our teaching about how one may be three, how that which is numerically distinguished may be a monarchy, [68] then we say that, while there is one Essence, all perfect, supreme, primary, that is alike to itself in beauty, power, glory and eternity, the distinction can be seen in respect of that which in the essence causes and that which is caused. One must be the single principle and source of the superessential divinity, but the other two flow and proceed from the source. In the first case, we refer to the one cause, the Father, and, in the other, those proceeding from him. [69] Furthermore, by its sameness the monarchy rules the essence and power and perfection, but, still, it is distinguished as to persons which come from it timelessly and with equal honor.

[70] A wealth of good attributes becomes evident. For the God of all things had to approach his creatures through a mediated divinity. Therefore, of the appellations which we apply to the Only-Begotten, some have a reference to the cause, namely that the Only-Begotten proceeds from the cause, in order that we believe in only one cause and one principle on which everything depends. [71] Other appellations make clear the multitude and variety of his gifts to us. For we call him True Light and the Brightness of Glory because he is from the sun, removing the darkness of the soul; and Life, for we live and move in him; and Word, because he is from Mind and is the cause of created

beings and leads us away from our irrationality; and the image of the unseen God, and imprint of his Person; and the only-begotten Son due to his procession from him and the identity of their Essence; and Way and Gate, for we walk straight and enter. [72] This is because where the causal and generative is, it is plain that from there the images are formed. For, as being and life and rest and movement and all else derive to created beings from God, so too the cause and that which is subordinate to the cause, the begetting principle and the begotten preceded creation. Through them everything both is and becomes and is maintained. One emits or generates the other. Hence, all fatherhood and sonhood in heaven and on earth are named after the first fatherhood and sonhood. [73] From that source the general nature in the universe has produced the specific natures, and the particular natures that differ in species have produced the individuals. From that source come the providences of the superiors, the conversions of the subordinates. From that source comes the great chain of analogy and resemblance by which beings are maintained and held together and brought out. From that source the heavenly bodies provide generations for the changeable elements on earth. [74] When God brings forth things from what is not, he does not borrow from another what he gives unto existence and perfection but from what he has and from himself. As in God there is being, so too in us, as well as life and mind and beauty and light and truth, and even prior to these, then, the causal and generative principle. [75] Not in the same way, however, do these things exist in the cause as in the effects, but, rather, infinite is the difference, infinite the incomparability and surpassingness of his Majesty. The divine exists immaterially and undividedly and eternally and impassibly, but created things exist materially and dividedly and temporally and passibly. To put the whole thing in these few words: the Demiurge is the archetype and measure and order of created beings, and the position of superior or inferior, worthier or worse, is determined in created beings by their varying participation in him as to extent and quality.

[76] I have, then, as briefly as I could, said the things most necessary for you to hear concerning the Gospel and the Word of life that I proclaim. However, it is also my task to encourage the wisest among you not to fail to attain so great a beauty or neglect the good that has come within your grasp or reject the knowledge of God. [77] Before the saving revelation came, there was perhaps forgiveness for the ignorant and mistaken men of the time, who worshipped the things of God rather than God. But now the word has been proclaimed to the world, and true religion has been taught to men, declaring that nothing generated or

passible or subject to evil or rejoicing in shamelessness is either God or worthy of worship. It declares that every true seeker of God must transcend sensible things with his mind. [78] Furthermore, to linger in the visible realm, and to ask for life from the dead, and to dedicate to the figures and shapes of human fabrication the reverence due only to the God of the universe – is that not completely absurd and the cause of the greatest danger? I call upon my God and Savior to be near to us! How greatly does the worshipped transcend the adorer! [79] To repeat myself about the same matter: there is that which honors and that which is honored. The one occupying the highest position, the other, having the lowest position away from that one. Both are not bodies, nor made from the elements, nor decomposable as though composed, nor generated, nor passible, nor changing. You, too, must be able to distinguish among these two in examining your reasoning and choose what is best and most perfect. Which is God and which created being? [80] I am persuaded that those who withdraw themselves from what is worse will side with what is better and, moreover, rejoice exceedingly in glad participation in the good. You need not travel far nor cross the sea, something that might indeed occur in acquiring scholarly knowledge. No, the word (ῥῆμα) is near to you, in your mouth and in your heart! I mean the word (ῥῆμα) of faith which I proclaim and the confession of his name. For with the heart we believe unto righteousness, but with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. [81] It belongs indeed to sensible men to attempt to possess what they do not have when it is an excellent thing, even if sweat and toil and expenditure are imposed before their successful attainment. But not to lay hold of gifts lying before them freely given but to let them slip out of indolence belongs to men who are not in line with right reasoning. O wisest of men, may that not be your experience! Proclaiming and sowing the word and announcing salvation is my role. But may listening and being persuaded and reaping the fruits be yours! [82] As in other ways, your city is outstanding among the Greeks for its wisdom and polity and protection of needy refugees, so too may it also excel in piety, distributing to those everywhere on earth not grain, not barley – food perishable and fleeting – from atop winged chariots as the old myths have told [...] May it show its generosity [...] but the heavenly bread, that is, the living Word, by which souls who hunger for God are nourished and which has now been sown for you like a mustard seed [...] and to grow among you through magnanimity and through the power of the Word and the (word) of the tongue.

Abstract

Codex Marcianus Graecus 266 contains a declamation in the character of Paul speaking before the Athenian Areopagus that is attributed to the learned monk Sophonias. This previously unpublished text is valuable both as an example of late Byzantine rhetoric and as additional testimony to the Sophonias known through historical sources to have acted as a representative of Emperor Andronikos II Palaeologos and to whom a paraphrase of Aristotelian works is attributed. The text is introduced, edited and translated for the first time.

EIN GRIECHISCHER DOPPELVERS SULTĀN WALADS NEU GELESEN

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Auf die nicht unerheblichen Schwierigkeiten, die arabischschriftlich überlieferten griechischen Teile im persischen Gesamtwerk des berühmten persischen Mystikers im seltschukischen Anatolien Mawlānā Ġalāl al-Dīn Rūmī (starb 1273) und seines Sohnes Sultān Walad (starb 1312), griechisch zu transkribieren, wurde öfters hingewiesen. Die bisher erfolgten editorischen Bemühungen und die an sie knüpfenden Verbesserungsvorschläge haben indes gezeigt, dass die angesprochenen Schwierigkeiten größtenteils überwindbar sind.¹ Die Texte, welche in der zweiten Hälfte des 13. und in der ersten Hälfte des 14. Jh. in dem *muslimisch-griechischen* Milieu von Ikonion/Qonya, jener ‚polykulturell-weltoffen quirlenden Rum-Seldschukenmetropole‘² entstanden sind und uns heute vorliegen, sind mit der Summe jener vor 1952 unternommenen fragwürdigen Versuche, Versuche im wahrsten Sinne des Wortes, nicht zu vergleichen.³

Nach der Überwindung der Fremdheit, um nicht zu sagen der Exotik, die der arabischschriftlichen Überlieferung der als ‚seldschukische Verse‘ apostrophierten Texte anhaftet, ist zu erwarten, dass sie als ernstzunehmende Aufgabe, als selbstständiger Teil eines noch nicht oder kaum wahrgenommenen, muslimisch-griechischen religiösen Schrifttums, innerhalb der spätbyzantinisch-neugriechischen philologischen Forschung, ihren berechtigten Platz finden. Es müsste lediglich der Weg zu diesem Platz geebnet werden. Neue Anregungen und neue

¹ Für Hinweise auf den Stand der Forschung siehe D. THEODORIDIS, Versuch einer Neuausgabe von drei griechischen Doppelversen aus dem Dīwān von Sultān Walad. *Byzantion* 74 (2004) 433–451. Den dort angegebenen bibliographischen Angaben sollte der Artikel von M. KAPPLER, Graphic adaptation in Sultān Velad's Greek and Turkish verses. *Turkic Languages* 6 (2002) 215–228 hinzugefügt werden.

² Nach dem Urteil von U. HOLBEIN: *Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung* Nr. 215 vom 16. September 2003, S. 42.

³ Einer dieser Versuche, der auf das Konto eines Konstantinopler Griechen gehen dürfte (etwa B. Mirmiroglou oder Th. Mentzos?), wurde von A. GÖLPINARLI, Mevlânâ Celâleddin. Hayatı, felsefesi, eserleri, eserlerinden seçmeler. Istanbul ³1959, 260 f. veröffentlicht. Die Transkription in griechischer Schrift wurde unverändert im Vorwort von N. SARRES zum Buch von L. MYSTAKIDOU, Νεοπλτωνικά στοιχεία στο Μενεβί του Τζελαλεττίν Ρουμί και η κοινότητα των μεβλεβήδων. Athen 2002, S. 7, übernommen.

Vorschläge, den einen oder anderen Vers überhaupt zu entziffern bzw. anders als bisher zu lesen und zu interpretieren, gehört zu den vorrangigsten Tätigkeiten zur Erstellung einer endgültigen Ausgabe der überlieferten Fragmente mit einem unvermeidbaren Minimum an zweifelhaften Textstellen. Da Sulṭān Walad Muslime für die Lehre und den Weg seines Vaters gewinnen wollte, dichtete er dementsprechend leicht verständlich, ohne sich im Dickicht einer komplizierten persischen Dichtkunst zu verirren. Seine Gedichte sind nicht nur Zeugnis seines inneren Erlebens, sondern auch ein missionierender, sich unermüdlich wiederholender Appell (,kommt zu *Mawlānā!*‘) an seine Glaubensgenossen. Die Gründung des allbekannten *mawlawī*-Ordens ist hauptsächlich das Ergebnis *seiner* Bemühungen, nicht der seines entrückten und mächtigen Vaters, der wohl kaum Sinn und Muße für organisatorische Belange aufgebracht hätte.

Will man nun die griechischen Dichtungen Sulṭān Walads erschließen, so darf dabei weder der islamische Hintergrund noch die allgegenwärtige Diktion der islamischen Mystik außer Sicht kommen. Auf die Tatsache hinzuweisen, wie die an sich zwingende Berücksichtigung des öfters sehr präsenten, den Text beherrschenden islamischen Gedankengutes für das glaubwürdige Lesen und das richtige Verstehen einer Textstelle unerlässlich ist, ist das Anliegen folgender Zeilen, in denen ein Spezialfall, nämlich eine bisher unerkannt gebliebene, allerdings recht freie, *ḥadīṭ*-Wiedergabe Sulṭān Walads, abgehandelt wird.

Innerhalb einer größeren Texteinheit, bestehend aus zweiundzwanzig arabisch-schriftlichen griechischen Doppelversen im *Rabābnāma* von Sulṭān Walad,⁴ nimmt der achte durch seine ‚schlichte Schwierigkeit‘ eine besondere Stellung ein. Das arabisch-schriftliche Konsonantengerippe, mit dessen Hilfe beide Verse niedergeschrieben bzw. überliefert wurden, sieht folgendermaßen aus:

'jpn 's tskjnm' jwn tndnj
'jl' pj't'kh pšjšm's tndnj

Die Herausgeber P. Burguière und R. Mantran sahen sich berechtigt, den Doppelvers in griechischer Schrift wiederherstellen zu können in der Lautung:

ἐμπαιν' εἰς τὸ σκῆνωμα οἶδὼν τὴν ταφή
ἐλα, πέθανξε ψυχὴ μας στὴν ταφή!

⁴ P. BURGUIÈRE/R. MANTRAN, Quelques vers grecs du XIII^e siècle en caractères arabes. *Byzantion* 22 (1952) 63–79.

und in der Bedeutung ‚entre dans cette tente (qu’est le corps) comme dans le tombeau: allons, meurs, notre âme dans ce tombeau!‘⁵ Den Herausgebern ist es nicht einmal aufgefallen, dass die auch im islamischen Glauben unsterbliche Seele im Grab *nicht* sterben kann!

Es mussten vierzig Jahre seit dieser immerhin einigermaßen lesbaren Pionierleistung vergehen, bis D. Dedes in einem weiteren Versuch die Restauration

εἶπεν, Εἰς τὸ σκήνωμα γοιὸν τὴν ταφή·
ἔλα πέ<v>θα κ’ ἡ ψυχὴ μας τὴν ταφή

vorschlug,⁶ deren Sinn er in einer freien Wiedergabe (παράφραση) ins Griechische übertrug mit: er sagt (höchstens: ‚er sagte [εἶπεν] D.Th.): die Seele ist im Körper wie wenn sie begraben wäre / auch unsere Seele soll dieses Begräbnis betrauern‘ (αὐτὸς λέει: ἡ ψυχὴ στὸ σῶμα εἶναι σὰν θαμμένη / ὅς πενήθει καὶ ἡ ψυχὴ μας τὴν ταφὴν αὐτήν).

Das, was man in diesem Doppelvers mehr ahnt denn versteht, konzentriert sich in der bildlichen Darstellung einer dem Grab ähnlichen ‚Behausung‘, eines dem Grab ähnlichen lebenslangen ‚Aufenthaltsortes‘ der Seele. Der zweite Vers ist ein bisschen dunkler und wirft nur noch Fragen auf: soll die Seele doch sterben oder soll die Seele ob ihres Wohnsitzes trauern? Ein dritter Anlauf einer Verbesserung und der Kommentar dazu sollen die Schwierigkeiten zu eliminieren versuchen. Als Text schlage ich vor:

ἐμπαίν’ εἰς τὸ σκήνωμα γοιὸν τὸ ταφί<v>·
ἔλα, πέθανε, ψυχὴ μ’ ὅς τὸ θανεῖ<v>!

Die Übersetzung dürfte lauten: ‚sie (sc. die Seele) tritt in den Körper ein, wie ins Grab / komm, meine Seele, stirb vor dem (= vor deinem natürlichen) Tod (ab)!‘ Dazu folgende Anmerkungen:

1) ἐμπαίν(ει) im Präsens. Im Vers wird keine Aufforderung an die Seele gestellt, in den Körper einzutreten, wie Burguière und Mantran angenommen haben. Dedes hat mit der Lesart εἶπεν offensichtlich eine Wiederherstellung des Verses verfehlt.

2) Das Wort σκήνωμα, das Burguière und Mantran vorsichtig mit ‚tente (qu’est le corps)‘ übersetzt haben, hatte bereits im 14. Jh. aufgehört, nur eine fromme Metapher des Kurzlebigen und Vergänglichen

⁵ BURGUIÈRE/MANTRAN, ebd. 66 f. (Text) und 69 (Übersetzung).

⁶ D. DEDES, Τὰ ἑλληβνικά ποιήματα τοῦ Μαντανᾶ Ρουμὴ καὶ τοῦ γιοῦ του Βαλέντ κατὰ τὸν 13ον αἰῶνα. Τὰ Ἱστορικά 10/18–19 (Juni/Dezember 1993) 3–22, bes. 13 und 16.

(,Zelt‘ > ,Körper‘) zu sein und bedeutete einfach ,Körper‘. In dieser sekundär entwickelten Bedeutung kommt es vor im mehrsprachigen so genannten *Rasuliden-Wörterbuch*,⁷ wo in einer Reihe von Synonymen zu lesen ist: (arabisch:) *al-badan*, (persisch:) *tan*, (türkisch:) *boy*, (griechisch:) *skinoma* <*skjnwm*>, (armenisch:) *anj*.⁸

Es sollte an dieser Stelle nicht unerwähnt bleiben, dass im Abschnitt mit den griechischen Versen im *Ibtidānāma* von Sultān Walad der Doppelvers

'pj tn j' 'dw skwtksn
k'htw fwβw twtjw čkwtksn

vorkommt, der als

ἐπὶ τὴν γῆν ἐδῶ *σηκωθήκουσαν
κι ἀχ το φόβο του Θεοῦ *τσακωθήκουσαν

gelesen und veröffentlicht wurde.⁹ Seine Bedeutung wäre ,hier auf der Erde sind sie aufgestanden / und wurden von der Gottesfurcht erdrückt‘. Der Herausgeber hält σηκωθήκουσαν (< σηκώθηκαν) und τσακωθήκουσαν (< τσακώθηκαν) jeweils für eine ,nicht attestierte Form‘ und bezeichnet die Lesung als ,rekonstruiert‘. Wenn man jedoch unter dem letzten arabischschriftlichen Wort eine ursprüngliche Schreibung sk<n>wtkn sich vorstellen kann, dann wäre eine Rekonstruktion der griechischen Verse in

ἐπὶ τὴν γῆν ἐδῶ σκηνώθηκαν
κι ἔχ τὸ <v> φόβο <v> τοῦ θεοῦ τσακώθηκαν

wohl zumutbar und eine Übersetzung ,sie (sc. die Seelen) sind hier auf der Erde in einen Körper (σκῆνωμα) geschlüpft und aus Angst vor Gott

⁷ Vgl. D.M. VARISCO/ G. R. SMITH (eds.), *The manuscript of al-Malik al-Afdal al-‘Abbās b. ‘Alī b. Dāūd b. Yūsuf b. ‘Umar b. ‘Alī Ibn Rasūl* (d. 778/1377). A Medieval Arabic anthology from the Yemen. Warminster 1998, Faksimile-S. 186–206 und 211.

⁸ Darüber s. P.B. GOLDEN, *The Byzantine Greek elements in the Rasulid hexaglot. Archivum Eurasiae Medii Aevi* 5 (1985 [1987]) 41–166, vor allem S. 131, und T. HALASI-KUN/P. B. GOLDEN/L. LIGETI/E. SCHÜTZ (trans.), P.B. GOLDEN (ed.), *The king’s dictionary. The Rasūlid hexaglot: Fourteenth century vocabularies in Arabic, Persian, Turkic, Greek, Armenian and Mongol. Handbuch der Orientalistik. Achte Abteilung: Zentralasien*, 4. Leiden/Boston/Köln 2000, 107.

⁹ M. KAPPLER, *Die griechischen Verse aus dem Ibtidā-nāme von Sultān Veled*, in M. Kappler/M. Kirchner/P. Zieme/R. Muhamedowa (eds.), *Trans-Turkic studies. Festschrift in honour of Marcel Erdal. Türk Dilleri Araştırma Dizisi*, 49. Istanbul 2010, 379–397 und bes. 390, Vers 6a.

gebrochen‘ recht passend. Die fleischliche Hülle, das σκήνωμα ist für die Seele verhängnisvoll. Diesem widrigen Umstand verdankt die Seele die für sie fremde und unsinnige Angst vor Gott, die eine Entfremdung und Entfernung von ihm mit sich bringt, was unabwendbar zu ihrem Verderben führt. Einzig und allein die rasche und gründliche Abtötung des Fleisches kann die Seele vor den schlimmen Folgen eines Untergangs retten.

3) ταφί<v>: Das Neutrum ταφίν ‚Grab‘ ist m.E. dem Abstraktum ταφή ‚Begräbnis, Beisetzung‘ entschieden vorzuziehen, da es sich um eine klar begrenzte Räumlichkeit handelt, dem σκήνωμα vergleichbar. Die Graphie *mdanj* (varia lectio: *nmdanj*) endet zwar mit *yā*‘, aber eine Verschreibung oder gar eine spätere Angleichung an neuere Formen wäre durchaus denkbar.

4) Der Imperativ πέθανε hat aufgrund der arabischschriftlichen Vorlage *pjṭ'kh* Verwirrung gestiftet. Die Vermutung von Burguière und Mantran, es handle sich hierbei um die Wiedergabe des nasalen /ŋ/ wie gewöhnlich im Osmanischen durch ein *kāf*, ist nicht richtig, hatte aber als Folge die falsche Lesung πε<v>θα κ(αί) von Dedes. Dem hier auftauchenden Problem liegt m.E. keine phonetische Entwicklung griechischer Mundarten Anatoliens, sondern eine paläographische zugrunde. Das diakritische Zeichen (ein Punkt) auf dem arabischen Buchstaben *nūn* nach dem *ālif* ist durch die schwungvolle Hand eines Kopisten etwas länglich und schräg von oben rechts nach unten links ausgeführt, was wiederum für die kurz geratene *kašīda* eines *kāf* gehalten wurde. Eine sehr verwandte paläographische Eigentümlichkeit, bei der ein *tā*‘ für ein *kāf* gehalten wurde, liefert das bekannte frühosmanische Prosaepos ‚Buch des *Dede Qorqut*‘ mit dem fatalen Ergebnis, dass ein seine Frau liebender und ehrender Oghuse sie angeblich mit ‚meine unreife Melone‘ (*düvlegüm*) ansprach, anstatt seinen Gefühlen entsprechend mit ‚mein Glück‘ (*dövletüm*)!¹⁰

5) Wer andere belehrt, die Seele sei unsterblich (s.o.), sollte sich hüten, sie, die Seele, in den Tod zu schicken! Allerdings heißt im zweiten Vers ψυχή nicht einfach ‚Seele‘, sondern das Zentrum des Empfindungslebens, der Sitz aller Triebe und Begehrlichkeiten (ar.

¹⁰ Darüber s. L. BAZIN, Deux passages incompris dans le Kitāb-i-Dede Korkut, in B. Kellner-Heinkele/P. Zieme (Hrsg.), *Studia Ottomanica*. Festgabe für György Hazai zum 65. Geburtstag. *Veröffentlichungen der Societas Uralo-Altaica*, 47. Wiesbaden 1997, 13–20 und besonders 14–17. Bazin sprach von der ‘fidélité aveugle, celle d’un copiste’ (S. 16).

nafs). Dieser Seele wird eine streng asketische νέκρωσις anempfohlen.¹¹ Die an die Seele der Begehrlichkeiten gerichtete Empfehlung, sie soll vor ihrem (natürlichen) Tod sterben, basiert auf einem Logion Muḥammads, das *mūtū qabl an tamūtū* lautet, einem äußerst populären *ḥadīṭ*, wenngleich Traditionalisten Zweifel an seiner Echtheit geäußert haben¹². Es dürfte sich vielmehr um ein *ḥadīṭ ṣāliḥ* handeln, das als ‚un hadīth dont la faiblesse légère ne l’empêche pas d’être pris en considération, et d’être mis en pratique s’il s’agit d’œuvres méritoires‘ erläutert wird¹³. Sulṭān Walad war allerdings fest davon überzeugt, dass die Forderung ‚sterbt bevor ihr sterbt‘ Muḥammad verlässlich zugeschrieben werden kann. Das geht aus seinen rümseldschukischen Versen hervor, in denen er ausdrücklich schreibt: *bu ḥadīsi buyurdi pāy-gambār* ‚diesen Leitsatz befahl der Gesandte‘ und fährt fort mit einem quasi-Zitat: *ölmādin tiz ölüñ* ‚sterbt schnell bevor ihr sterbt‘, eine plakative Aussage, die er kurz davor periphrastisch *qanqī gişi, ki dirligin istār, / gändözinden gārāk, kim ol ölä* ‚jedwedem, der das (wahre) Leben haben will / dem ist es notwendig, dass er bereitwillig stirbt‘ formuliert hat¹⁴.

In der osmanischen Literatur, und zwar sowohl in den volkssprachigen, von den Derwischorden und ihren Sympathisanten bevorzugten

¹¹ Dieser Gedanke der ‚Abtötung der Seele‘ beherrscht auch die neu erschlossenen arabischschriftlich überlieferten Verse im *Ibtidānāma* des Sulṭān Walad, worüber s. KAPPLER (wie oben Fußnote 9).

¹² Muḥammad b. Tulūn al-Šālīḥī, Alšadra fī ‘laḥādīṭ almuṣṭahira. Tahqīq: Kamāl b. Basyūnī Zağlūl. Bd. II. Beirut 1413 h./1993, S. 207, Nr. 1041 und noch Ismā‘il b. Muḥammad al-Ağlūnī al-Ğarrāḥī, *Kaṣf alḥafā’wa muzīl alilbās ‘ammā ištahara min alahādīṭ ‘alā alsinat alnās*. Teil II. Beirut ³1408/1988 (Nachdruck der Ausgabe Kairo 1351/1932), S. 291, Nr. 2669. Beide Belegstellen verdanke ich der Liebenswürdigkeit und Hilfsbereitschaft von Dr. Muḥammad ‘Abd al-Raḥīm (München).

¹³ Nūr al-Dīn ‘Itr, *Muḡam almuṣṭalahāt alḥadīṭīya*. Damaskus 1396 h./1976, 55 (Französischer Titel: *Lexique des termes techniques de la science du ḥadīth*. Traduit et adapté en français par ‘Abd al-Laṭīf al-Širāzī al-Šabbāğ et Dāwud ‘Abd Allāh Gril).

¹⁴ Vgl. M. MANSUROĞLU (ed.), *Sultan Veled’in Türkçe manzumeleri*. Istanbul Üniversitesi. Edebiyat Fakültesi yayınları, 765. Istanbul 1958, 10 und M.S. FOMKIN, Султан Велед и его тюркская поэзия. Moskau 1994, 103 (Text) und 119 (russische Übersetzung). Mansuroğlu und ihm folgend Fomkin edierten *kişi* und *gendüzinden*. Die Verse sind in einer leichten sprachlichen Angleichung an das Aserbaidzschanische noch im Buch von Ḥusayn Muḥammadzāda yi ŠADĪQ, *Sayrī dar aš‘ār i turkī. Maktab i mavlavīya*. Teheran 1369/1991, 162 zu finden. Da mir das Buch von B. FURŪZĀNFAR, *Aḥādīṭ i Maṭnavī*, Teheran 1334 h.š. unerreikbaar bleibt, weiß ich nicht, ob Mawlānā das besagte Logion in sein großes Werk einbezogen hat; s. die Anzeige von H. R[itter] in *Oriens* 10 (1957) 402.

Dichtungen, als auch in der elitären hochsprachigen Hofdichtung, kann man Beispiele finden, in denen der *Sterbt-bevor-ihr-sterbt*-Gedanke sich deutlich zu erkennen gibt. Eşref oğlu Rūmī (starb 1469/70 [?]), typischer Vertreter der sogenannten ‚Dichtung der Derwischkonvente‘ (*tekke edebiyatı*) empfiehlt seinen Glaubensgenossen *ölmädin öñdin ölüp bul bāqāyī* (‚finde das fortbestehende Leben, indem du vor dem [deinem] Tod stirbst‘)¹⁵. In einer rezenteren, von einem fernen Nachfahren Mawlānās besorgten, etwas anspruchsvolleren Ausgabe der Gedichte von Eşref oğlu Rūmī findet sich derselbe Vers mit unbedeutenden Abweichungen (*ölümün öñdin ölüp bul bāqāyī*) wieder, wobei der gleiche Gedanke des ‚Todes vor dem Tod‘ noch verschieden formuliert wird: *gāl imdī sāl dā ölmāzdān öñ ölgil* ‚komm nun du auch und stirb bevor du stirbst‘ bzw. *öli gör ölmāzdin* ‚schau zu, dass du stirbst bevor du stirbst‘ und *ölümün öñdin öl* ‚stirb vor deinem Ableben‘. Auch Eşref oğlu vertritt in seinen Versen die Meinung, er zitiere ein *ḥadīṭ*, wenn er dazu schreibt *öylä (äylä ? D.Th.) buyurdi rāsūl* ‚so befahl der Gesandte‘.¹⁶

Eine raffinierte, allerdings stark profanierte Anwendung des *ḥadīṭ*-Inhalts benutzt Ğem Sultān, der unglückliche osmanische Thronprätendent und in Italien vergiftete Halbbruder Bāyezīd II. (starb am 25.02.1495) in seiner Gedichtsammlung: *ḥatṭī erīsmādin ġān ver yolīnda; / ölümün öñdin öl, ey qalb i ġafīl!* Hier sind in einem Kontext gleichgeschlechtlicher Zuneigung zwei vom Dichter beabsichtigte Interpretationen möglich: (1:) ‚gib seinetwegen den Geist auf, bevor (dich) sein Schreiben (mit dem Todesurteil) erreicht‘ bzw. (2:) ‚stirb ihm zuliebe, bevor ihm der Flaum (ins Gesicht) sprießt / oh sorgloses Herz, stirb vor dem (dir vom Schicksal zgedachten) Tod‘.¹⁷ Im Mittelpunkt des poetischen Geschehens steht hier ein schöner Knabe kurz vor seinem Eintritt in die Pubertät, die ihm durch den Bartwuchs das Gesicht verunstalten und seine Attraktivität erheblich vermindern wird. Demgegenüber steht der Dichter (1) als absolut Ergebener, der seinem Todesurteil (die Mannbarkeit des geliebten Knaben) zuvorkommt und stirbt und (2) als hochgradig sensibler Liebender, der seinem bevorstehenden Tod (die Mannbarkeit des geliebten Knaben) dadurch zu

¹⁵ *Dīvan i Eşref oğlu Rūmī* <Steindruck> [o. O. und o. J.] 38 und die Ausgabe *Dīvān i Eşref oğlu, Abd Allāh al-Rūmī*. Dersaʿadet 1301, S. 27. In beiden Ausgaben ist der Imperativ *bul* ‚finde‘ in der Form *bwlh* geschrieben.

¹⁶ ASAF HÂLET Çelebi (ed.), Eşrefoğlu divanı. *Türk klâsikleri serisi*, 7. Istanbul 1944, 70, 86 und 105.

¹⁷ İ. H. ERSOYLU (ed.), Cem Sultan'ın Türkçe Divan'ı. *Türk Dil Kurumu yayınları*, 543. Ankara 1989, 156, Nr. CCI, 3.

entgehen hofft, indem *er* dem Ganzen ein Ende bereitet, das heißt, stirbt.

6) Die Präposition *ἀς* ist in den griechischen Mundarten Anatoliens (Kappadokien und Pontos) ausreichend belegt; sie entspricht der Präposition *ἀπό* der heutigen griechischen Standardsprache.¹⁸ Ihre Anwendung hier erweckt den Eindruck der Lehnübersetzung eines türk-sprachigen Ablativs *-dan* bzw. *-den*.

7) *θανεῖ<v>* : Bereits im Jahre 1958 hat C.D. Mertzios¹⁹ die Meinung vertreten, das letzte Wort des Doppelverses nicht *ταφή*, sondern *θανή* lesen zu müssen (nous lisons le dernier mot *θανή* [la mort] au lieu de *ταφή* [enterrement, sépulture]). In Anbetracht der gesicherten *ḥadīṭ*-Wiedergabe wäre der Vorschlag von Mertzios richtig, ja sogar zwingend. Ob allerdings das griechische Wort für das ‚Ableben‘ der Begierdenseele an dieser Stelle in der Schreibweise *θανή* oder *θανεῖ<v>* zu Papier gebracht werden sollte, bleibt diskutabel.²⁰ Hier wurde auch einer inneren Symmetrie des Doppelverses Rechnung getragen.

Es bleibt zu hoffen, dass durch die hier vorgeschlagene neue Lesung des kleinen Textabschnittes aus dem Korpus der ‚seldschukischen Verse‘ des 13. / 14. Jh.s ein halber Schritt zu ihrer erstrebten endgültigen Wiederherstellung getan wurde. ‚Etwas ein Werk nennen heißt Anerkennung zollen‘ – so lautet ein schön und klug formulierter Grundsatz als respektable Anweisung an den Textkritiker.²¹ Die Forschung arabisch-schriftlich überlieferter griechischer Texte darf diese ‚Anerkennung‘ nicht aus den Augen verlieren.

¹⁸ R.M. DAWKINS, *Modern Greek in Asia Minor*. Cambridge 1916, 586. Zusätzliches dazu von N.P. ANDRIOTES, *Τὸ γλωσσικὸ ἰδίωμα τῶν Φαράσων*. *Collection de l'Institut Français d'Athènes*, 8; *Archives de musique populaire et de folklore d'Asie Mineure*, 4; *Cappadoce*, 2. Athen 1948, 32 f.

¹⁹ C.D. MERTZIOS, *Quelques vers grecs du XIII^e siècle en caractères arabes*. *BZ* 51 (1958) 15–16.

²⁰ Dazu vgl. G.K. SPYRIDAKES, *Ἑτυμολογικά*. *Ἀθηνᾶ* 48 (1938) 238–241. Der Verfasser vertritt die Ansicht, dass der Übergang *τὸ θανεῖν > ἡ θανή* unter dem Einfluss von *ταφή* stattgefunden hat (S. 239 f.).

²¹ G. WOLANDT, *Die Unentbehrlichkeit von Poesie und Literatur*, in P. Thiergen/L. Udolph (Hrsg.), *Res Slavica*. Festschrift für Hans Rothe zum 65. Geburtstag. Paderborn 1994, 3–16 und besonders 3.

Abstract

The Greek poetry of Sulṭān Walad poses two main problems for Greek philology: the fact that the texts were written and passed on in Arabic writing, and that they were composed in the perished colloquial Greek of the city Ikoni-on/Konya (13th/14th centuries). A final edition of these poems therefore requires a stepwise approach regarding reading and interpretation of these trxts.

The article attempts to reconstruct a double verse by Sulṭān Walad and to interpret it with the help of ist Islamic background.

II. ABTEILUNG

Wilhelm BLUM/Walter SEITTER (Hrsg.), Georgios Gemistos Plethon (1355–1452). Reformpolitiker, Philosoph, Verehrer der alten Götter. *Tumult – Schriften zur Verkehrswissenschaft*. Zürich/Berlin, diaphanes 2005. 144 S. ISBN 3-935300-98-0.

Zu den herausragenden Gelehrten der byzantinischen Spätzeit gehört der Philosoph Georgios Gemistos, der sich selbst Plethon nannte. Geboren zwischen 1355 und 1360 in Konstantinopel verbrachte er seine zweite Lebenshälfte in Mistra, wo er als Leiter einer eigenen Schule, Berater des Despoten und Richter tätig war. 1437–38 war er Mitglied der griechischen Delegation auf dem Unionskonzil von Ferrara und Florenz. Hier in Italien blühte der Philosoph im Alter von etwa 80 Jahren noch einmal richtig auf, verkündete seine platonische Philosophie und machte Eindruck auf die italienischen Humanisten. Das Interesse der internationalen Forschung an Plethon hat in den letzten Jahrzehnten und Jahren spürbar zugenommen, im deutschsprachigen Raum ist hier an erster Stelle Wilhelm Blum zu nennen, der bereits 1988 einen Band publizierte, in dem er mehrere Schriften Plethons übersetzte und mit Anmerkungen sowie einer ausführlichen Einleitung versah.¹ Wilhelm BLUM hat nun mit Walter SEITTER einen weiteren Band über Plethon herausgegeben, der sowohl Übersetzungen als auch inhaltliche Beiträge zu Plethons Philosophie und Wirkungsgeschichte enthält.

Zum ersten Mal ins Deutsche übersetzt liegen hier vor sowohl einige zentrale Passagen aus Plethons Hauptwerk, der nur in Fragmenten erhaltenen *Νόμων συγγραφή* (*Die Gesetze*) (7–23), als auch seine Abhandlung *Über die Tugend* (25–34). *Die Gesetze* wurden nach Plethons Tod von seinem Gegner Gennadios Scholarios bis auf einige Fragmente verbrannt. Von den 100 Kapiteln des in drei Büchern gegliederten Werkes sind 15 ganz oder teilweise erhalten. Blum hat das ebenfalls erhaltene Vorwort, drei zentrale Kapitel sowie den überlieferten Teil des Nachwortes übersetzt. Im kurzen Vorwort (7) äußert sich Plethon zu den ganz zentralen Inhalten und Quellen seiner Schrift: Theologie nach Zoroaster und Platon, Ethik gemäß diesen sowie den Stoikern, eine auf der abgemilderten Verfassungslehre Spartas basierende und mit Philosophie verbundene Politik, Vorschriften für die Liturgie und Physik – letztere interessanterweise hauptsächlich mit Bezug auf Aristoteles. Im ersten Kapitel

¹ W. BLUM, Georgios Gemistos Plethon, Politik, Philosophie und Rhetorik im spätbyzantinischen Reich. Stuttgart 1988. Gute Einführungen zum Werk und zur Gedankenwelt Plethons bieten zudem (neben dem hier vorliegenden Band): CH. M. WOODHOUSE, George Gemistos Plethon, *The Last of the Hellenes*. Oxford 1986 (Neudruck 2000); B. TAMBRUN, Pléthon. *Le Retour de Platon*. Paris 2006.

des ersten Buches, „Der Unterschied der Ansichten über die höchsten Dinge bei den Menschen“ (7–10) erörtert Plethon den Zusammenhang verschiedener philosophischer Fragestellungen. Sein Werk über die Gesetze möchte eine Staatsform entwerfen, die dem Menschen das größtmögliche Glück ermöglicht. Was das wirkliche Glück für den Menschen ist, kann man aber nur beurteilen, wenn man weiß, was der Mensch für ein Wesen ist, was man wiederum nur verstehen kann, wenn der Mensch in Bezug gesetzt wird zum anderen Seienden, namentlich zum Kosmos und den Göttern. Bei der Beantwortung der Frage: „Was ist Glück?“ divergieren die Ansichten der Menschen nun genau so wie bei den damit berührten ethischen, anthropologischen und theologischen Lehren. Gängige Antwortmodelle der Philosophiegeschichte werden knapp von Plethon referiert und werfen die Frage nach verlässlichen Theoremen auf. So geht es im zweiten Kapitel des ersten Buches, „Die geistigen Führer für die besten Lehren“ (10–13) konsequenterweise um die Suche nach den entsprechenden Quellen und Lehrern. Es kommen nach Plethon nur wirkliche Gesetzgeber und Philosophen in Betracht, die er von Sophisten und Dichtern abgrenzt. Plethon entwirft hier die Traditionslinie einer uralten, zeitlich und räumlich umfassenden Weisheit und Theologie, die er bis auf Zoroaster zurückführt. Über die Gesetzgeber verschiedener Völker, mythische sowie historische Gestalten, setzt Plethon diese alte heidnische Theologie in Verbindung zu Pythagoras, Platon und dem späteren Platonismus. Plethon sieht hier eine stetige theologisch-philosophische Überlieferung, in deren Tradition er sich sieht und zu deren Anfängen er eine Brücke schlägt, um seine eigene Philosophie zu legitimieren. Das sechste Kapitel des zweiten Buches, „Das Schicksal“ (13–17), wurde auch separat als Einzelschrift überliefert. Hier präsentiert Plethon seine streng deterministische Auffassung, die einen deutlichen stoischen Einfluss zeigt. Alles ist im Einklang mit der Vorsehung der Götter streng kausal determiniert. Einige der klassischen sich aus dieser Position ergebenden Fragen werden von Plethon diskutiert, so z.B. das Problem des Übels und der Freiheitsbegriff. Im 43. Kapitel des dritten Buches, „Epinomis – Die Schlussbetrachtung“ (17–23) legt Plethon noch einmal resümierend einige Grundlagen seiner Philosophie hinsichtlich Kosmologie, Theologie und Anthropologie dar, wobei er sich auch mit anderen, insbesondere christlichen, Positionen auseinandersetzt.

Plethons Traktat *Über die Tugenden* (25–34), die am weitesten verbreitete seiner Schriften, wurde von Gudrun SCHANDL ins Deutsche übertragen. Im ersten Teil der Schrift (25–27) definiert Plethon Tugend als „eine Haltung der Seele, nach der wir gut sind“ (25). Gut wird der Mensch, wenn er Gott folgt, insoweit es ihm als Menschen eben möglich ist. Er unterteilt die vier Kardinaltugenden in jeweils drei Teiltugenden (Mäßigung: Bescheidenheit, Großzügigkeit, Anstand; Tapferkeit: Seelenstärke, Edelmut, Sanftmut; Gerechtigkeit: Frömmigkeit, Staatsbürgerlichkeit, Redlichkeit; Einsicht: Gottesverehrung, Naturwissenschaft, Wohlberatenheit). Im zweiten Teil seiner Abhandlung (28–34) entwickelt Plethon ein Erziehungsprogramm, das eine bestimmte Reihenfolge für den Erwerb der Tugenden vorsieht und in der Gottesverehrung gipfelt.

Nach den Übersetzungen folgen zwei Beiträge von Wilhelm BLUM. In „Das Leben und die Schriften Plethons“ (35–43) gibt er einen kurzen biographischen Überblick über die wichtigsten Stationen in Plethons Leben: In der ersten Lebenshälfte Konstantinopel, Adrianopel (das heutige Edirne) und Bursa, in der zweiten Lebenshälfte Mistra und der Aufenthalt in Italien. Plethon lernte als junger Mensch neben dem Christentum auch die beiden anderen monotheistischen Religionen kennen, den Islam in Adrianopel und Bursa (beides Residenzstädte osmanischer Sultane) und das Judentum wahrscheinlich von einem jüdischen Lehrer namens Elischa, der ihn vielleicht auch in die Lehren des Zarathustra einführte. Später machte Plethon dann als Leiter seiner Schule Mistra zu einem kulturellen Zentrum des spätbyzantinischen Restreiches. Der folgende Überblick über die Werke Plethons ist zwar nicht ganz vollständig, berücksichtigt aber seine wichtigsten Werke und ist repräsentativ für die weit gefächerten Interessen des Philosophen. Die Anordnung der Werke folgt einer thematischen Aufteilung in 1) Theologisches, 2) Historisches, 3) Philosophisches, 4) Varia, 5) Politische Schriften und erweist Plethon als wahren „Polyhistor, nicht anders als Aristoteles oder Leibniz“ (43). In „Die Anerkennung Plethons in der Nachwelt“ (45–59) gibt Blum einen Überblick über die Wirkung Plethons auf seine Zeitgenossen und die Generation nach ihm sowie über den Beginn der modernen Beschäftigung mit Plethon und den aktuellen Stand der Forschung. Besonders erwähnenswert ist hier eine nach Ländern gegliederte und erläuterte Bibliographie der wichtigsten Forschungsliteratur zu Plethon (bis 2005).

Zwei ältere Beiträge von Lambros COULOUBARITSIS (aus den Jahren 1986 und 1991) sind von Walter Seitter aus dem Französischen ins Deutsche übertragen worden. In „Physis‘ und ‚techne‘ in den *Unterschieden* von Plethon“ (63–68) versucht Lambros Couloubaritsis die innere Kohärenz dieser Schrift nachzuweisen. *Die Unterschiede zwischen Aristoteles und Platon (De differentiis)* wurde 1439 von Plethon in Florenz verfasst und war Ausgangspunkt für die spätere Platon-Aristoteles-Kontroverse zwischen ihm und Gennadios Scholarios. Im siebten Kapitel über Kunst und Natur kritisiert Plethon den physiko-ontologischen Ansatz des Aristoteles und die damit verbundene Konzeption der Entelechie. Für Plethon ist sowohl in der Natur als auch in der Kunst eine mit Überlegung verbundene Hervorbringungsinstanz entscheidend. Er parallelisiert den leitenden Handwerker in der Kunst und Gott in der Natur und verlegt die Problematik damit auf die anthropologische und theologische Ebene. Dies mündet in eine platonische Konzeption vom Göttlichen verbunden mit einer Kritik der aristotelischen Vorstellung von Gott als bloßer Bewegungsinstanz. Die Beschäftigung mit dem Begriff des Göttlichen am Anfang und am Ende der kleinen Schrift sowie die zentrale Stellung des siebten Kapitels über Kunst und Natur, das zusammen mit dem sechsten Kapitel über den Kosmos die zentralen Themen der traditionellen Physik (Gott, Mensch, Kosmos) entfaltet, legt in der Tat eine wohlüberlegte Struktur der Schrift nahe. Auch der zweite Beitrag von Couloubaritsis, „Prolegomena zur Kosmologie Plethons“ (69–76) geht aus von *De differentiis* und der Kritik an Aristoteles. Aristoteles‘ Annahme eines fünften Elements sowie seine Aufteilung des

Kosmos in einen unzerstörbaren supralunaren und einen dem Wandel unterworfenen sublunaren Bereich werden von Plethon abgelehnt. Er setzt die platonische Vorstellung einer Weltseele dagegen, um die Einheit des Kosmos zu gewährleisten, was ein Grundanliegen seiner monistischen Philosophie ist.

Walter SEITTER erörtert in seinem Aufsatz „Plethonische Anthropologie. Zwischen Politologie, Kosmologie und Theologie“ (77–89) ausgehend von der politischen Philosophie Plethons dessen Menschenbild. Plethon vollzieht, indem er „die Frage nach der besten politischen Ordnung zur Frage nach dem Glück und dann zur Frage nach dem Wesen des Menschen verschiebt ... in formeller und exemplarischer Weise die *Anthropologisierung der Philosophie des Politischen*.“ (83) Doch die Selbstverständigung darüber, was der Mensch sei, erfordert den Vergleich und die Abgrenzung sowohl vom Göttlichen, dessen Existenz nach Plethon sogar in der Verfassung festgeschrieben werden soll, als auch vom Tier. Der Mensch nun hat nach Plethon Anteil an der göttlichen und der sterblichen Wesenheit. Diese Doppelnatur führt einerseits zur inneren Zerrissenheit des Menschen, der hinsichtlich seiner Auffassungen und Handlungen nun verschiedene Optionen hat, andererseits kommt dem Menschen hiermit aber auch eine „kosmopoietische Funktion“ (87) zu, da er im Kosmos das Bindeglied ist zwischen göttlicher und sterblicher Wesenheit und somit die Einheit des Ganzen gewährleistet.

Juan SIGNES CODOÑER setzt in seinem Artikel „Die plethonische ‚Religion‘“ (91–100) den Begriff „Religion“ in Bezug auf Plethon in Anführungszeichen, da dessen metaphysische Philosophie mit der Reform der byzantinischen Gesellschaft in erster Linie politische Ziele verfolgt habe. In Plethons „Götterwelt neoplatonischer Prägung“ (91) entsprechen die Götter nicht ihren anthropomorphen Namensgebern der antiken heidnischen Religion, sondern verkörpern platonische Ideen. Plethon hat auch eine eigene Liturgie und einen eigenen Kalender entworfen, um in dieser Hinsicht mit dem Christentum konkurrieren zu können. Sein Verhältnis zum Christentum, namentlich zur Orthodoxie ist dann auch nicht ganz leicht zu fassen. Einige für die Öffentlichkeit verfasste Texte, wie z.B. die Monodie für die Kaiserin Helena Palaiologa, präsentieren allgemeine religiöse Gedanken, die sich sowohl in christlicher als auch in heidnischer Perspektive deuten lassen. Einen Hauptgrund für den Rückgriff auf die antike heidnische Philosophie, nicht nur bei Plethon, sondern auch bei einigen seiner Vorgänger, wie z.B. Leon Philosophos, Michsel Psellos oder Johannes Italos, sieht Codoñer in einem Bedürfnis nach kultureller Identität und Kontinuität in Zeiten der Krise.

Brigitte TAMBRUN-KRASKER, eine exzellente Kennerin Plethons aus Frankreich, befasst sich in ihrem Beitrag „Plethons Abhandlung *Über die Tugenden*“ (101–117) mit ebendieser Schrift Plethons, die sie auch selbst in einer kritischen Ausgabe ediert hat.² Das Erziehungsprogramm Plethons vermittelt dem Individuum die zwölf aus den Kardinaltugenden abgeleiteten Tugenden (s.o.)

² *Traité des vertus*, hrsg., eingeleitet, übersetzt und kommentiert von B. TAMBRUN-KRASKER, in der Reihe: *Corpus Philosophorum Medii Aevi, Philosophi Byzantini* 3. Leiden 1987.

und führt es über Einübung, Gewöhnung und richtige Meinung bis zur Einsicht der Vernunftgründe. Ziel ist dabei nicht, wie im antiken Neuplatonismus, die mit Reinigung und Flucht aus dem Körper verbundene Erlösung der Einzelseele, sondern die bewusste Wahrnehmung diesseitiger Rollenverpflichtungen in Familie, Gesellschaft und Staat. Schlüssig legt Tambrun-Krasker den Zusammenhang zwischen Plethons Ethik und seiner Metaphysik sowie seiner politischen Philosophie dar. Die Götterlehre der *Gesetze*, insbesondere der von Zeus, dem obersten Prinzip, ausgehende Schöpfungsprozess, bei dem Plethon „aus dem ‚selben‘ und dem ‚anderen‘ das Prinzip aller Teilung und Generierung“ (105) macht, fundiert die Selbst- und Fremdbezüge des Menschen, die durch die einzelnen Tugenden reglementiert werden. Diese Götterlehre konnte Plethon in seiner für die Öffentlichkeit gedachten kleinen ethischen Schrift freilich nicht explizit machen. Vorrangiges Ziel war hier die Reformierung und Stärkung der byzantinischen Gesellschaft, und Adressaten waren nicht nur – wie bei einigen Denkschriften Plethons – die politischen Führer, sondern alle Klassen der Bevölkerung.

Paul Richard BLUM beschäftigt sich in seinem Beitrag „Die Graue Eminenz des Renaissance-Platonismus: Georgios Gemistos Plethon“ (119–129) mit einigen Aspekten der Wirkungsgeschichte Plethons. Marsilio Ficino hat im Vorwort zu seiner Plotin-Übersetzung bewusst eine Brücke zum Philosophen aus Mistra geschlagen, indem er die Gründung der Platonischen Akademie in Florenz indirekt auf diesen zurückführte. Cosimo de' Medici sei von Plethons Vorträgen so beeindruckt gewesen, dass er die Eingebung bekam, eine Akademie zu gründen. Diese Äußerung Ficinós wird in der Forschung unterschiedlich interpretiert, doch sicherlich spielte es eine zentrale Rolle für ihn, „sein Projekt der Übersetzung Plotins damit zu rechtfertigen, daß er es in die Geschichte der Florentiner Medici und mittels Plethons in die ungebrochene, aber immer gefährdete Tradition der Alten Weisheit einbaut.“ (129) In der (Re-)Etablierung dieser Tradition einer „philosophia perennis“ bzw. „prisca theologia“, die auch für Giovanni Pico della Mirandola eine tragende Rolle spielte, sieht Blum einen wesentlichen Einfluss Plethons auf folgende Generationen. Bei Nikolaus Cusanus, der Plethon zwar nie erwähnt, ihn aber wahrscheinlich auf dem Schiff von Byzanz nach Ferrara kennenlernte, gibt es einige religionsphilosophische Bezugspunkte zu Plethon. Die Untersuchung theologischer Strukturen unabhängig von einer konkreten Offenbarung in *De pace fidei* bilden eine deutliche Parallele zu Plethons philosophischer Theologie. Doch die Position des Cusanus in seiner *Docta ignorantia*, dass Gott mit den Mitteln der menschlichen Rationalität gar nicht begreifbar sei, liest sich mit „Blick auf die neu-antike Mythologie des Plethon ... wie eine methodologische Kritik der Religion aus dem Baukasten der Antike.“ (125)

Im letzten Beitrag des Bandes „Gibt es ein Bild von Plethon“ (131–142) geht Walter SEITTER dieser kunsthistorischen Fragestellung nach. Gleich zu Beginn konstatiert er: „Es ist uns von Plethon kein glaubwürdiges, zuverlässiges oder gar bezeugtes Bild überliefert“ (131). Gleichwohl versucht er im Folgenden plausibel zu machen, dass es sehr wohl einige Abbildungen von Plethon geben könnte. Im Fresko *Zug der Heiligen Drei Könige* von Benozzo

Gozzoli im Florentiner Palazzo Medici-Riccardi wurde schon häufiger eine Anspielung auf den Einzug zum Unionskonzil in Florenz gesehen. Hier hat der Maler Benozzo Gozzoli im Zug des Königs Kaspar in der Nähe seines Selbstportraits zwei bärtige Greise gemalt, bei denen es sich mit Blick auf ihre Kleidung durchaus um Byzantiner handeln könnte. Einer von den beiden, ein würdiger Greis mit violetter Haube, wird von Seitter mit Plethon identifiziert. Ein ähnliches Gesicht wurde zwischen 1451 und 1465 mehrmals von Piero della Francesca gemalt. Sigismondo Malatesta, ein Verehrer Plethons, begann um 1445 in Rimini mit dem Umbau der Kirche San Francesco zum Tempio Malatestiano. Hier bekam Piero della Francesca den Auftrag, ein Fresko in der Sakristei der Sigmundskapelle zu malen. Auf diesem sieht man den jungen Sigismondo kniend vor dem alten Heiligen König Sigismund, dessen Gesicht dem vermuteten Plethon in Florenz sehr ähnelt. Auch die übrige Gestaltung des Freskos sowie des Tempio Malatestiano zeigen vielleicht einen Einfluss Plethons. Seitter verweist noch auf weitere Bilder von Benozzo Gozzoli und Piero della Francesca, auf denen Plethon dargestellt sein könnte. Er unterscheidet zudem die „offizielle florentinische und die weniger offizielle riminensische Plethon-Rezeption“ (139). Während in Florenz der Neuplatonismus in der Platonischen Akademie mit dem Christentum verbunden wurde, wurde Sigismondo Malatesta exkommuniziert – „auch wegen Heidentums im Riminenser ‚Tempel‘“ (139). Er wehrte sich, indem er einen Kreuzzug zur Befreiung Griechenlands anführte, der freilich erfolglos blieb, in dessen Verlauf er allerdings die Gebeine Plethons aus Mistra nach Rimini brachte, um sein Idol am Tempio Malatestiano beizusetzen. Der schöne Beitrag wirft ein Licht auf eine andere Seite der Wirkungsgeschichte Plethons. Schade ist hier lediglich, dass es keine illustrierenden Abbildungen der besprochenen Bilder und Details gibt.

Insgesamt lässt sich sagen, dass der vorliegende Band sowohl für eine erste als auch für eine fortgeschrittene Beschäftigung mit Plethon gewinnbringend ist. Die inhaltlichen Beiträge eröffnen durchaus unterschiedliche Perspektiven auf Plethons Werk, werden aber durch die einführenden Kapitel und die Übersetzungen in Bezug zueinander gesetzt. Das weitgehende Fehlen griechischer Originalzitate kann verschmerzt werden, da sicherlich auch ein philosophisch interessierter Leserkreis ohne Griechischkenntnisse angesprochen werden soll. Gelegentliche Tippfehler stören den Lesefluss nicht und werden nur an zwei Stellen mit Eigennamen relevant (42: Renakis statt Benakis; 58: Hatula statt Matula).

Olga GKRAZIU, Η Κρήτη στην ύστερη μεσαιωνική εποχή. Η μαρτυρία της εκκλησιαστικής αρχιτεκτονικής. Herakleio, Πανεπιστημιακές Εκδόσεις Κρήτης 2010. 336 S. Ill. ISBN 978-960-524-301-2.

Das Interesse der Forschung über die kretischen Kirchen betrifft überwiegend die Wandmalereien, während die Architektur und ihre kulturelle Bedeutung bisher vernachlässigt wurden. Dies stellt Verf. in der Einführung (9–19) fest, die mit einem Überblick über die Forschungssituation zu den Kirchen Kretas beginnt. Die Hunderte von Kirchen Kretas, die zwischen dem 13. und 15. Jh. errichtet wurden, deuten jedoch auf eine intensive Bautätigkeit hin. Ziel der Arbeit ist die Untersuchung der spätmittelalterlichen Architektur Kretas, des Verhältnisses zwischen den kretischen Kirchen auf dem Land und den lateinischen Kirchen der Städte wie auch die Untersuchung der großen Bautätigkeit des 13.–15. Jh.s, der an sich von der Verf. große historische Bedeutung beigegeben wird, da sie die schriftlichen Quellen ergänzt. Nach dem monumentalen Werk G. Gerolas von 1905–1932, der allerdings teilweise zu widersprüchlichen Ergebnissen kam, die von der späteren Forschung wiederholt wurden, und der Monographie von K. Gallas über die Sakralarchitektur Kretas von 1983 gab es keine so intensive Auseinandersetzung mit dem Thema. Ein Grundproblem dabei ist, abgesehen von formalen Aspekten, die Charakterisierung der Kirchengebäude und ihre kulturelle und religiöse Zuordnung.

Das erste Kapitel (Εποχή ανοικοδόμησης, S. 21–53) widmet sich der intensiven Bautätigkeit, die die Eroberung Kretas durch die Venezianer im 13. Jh. verursachte. Diese umfasste nicht nur öffentliche und private Gebäude der Venezianer in den Städten, sondern auch zahlreiche sakrale Gebäude in den Städten und auf dem Land. Auffällig ist dabei die Dichte an kretischen Kirchen im Hinterland, die im Gegensatz zu den Bauten der Städte die Jahrhunderte überdauerten. Die urbane Architektur Kretas wurde analog zu Venedig gestaltet. Das Hinterland, das Rohmaterial wie Holz und Stein für die Versorgung der Städte lieferte, hat sich durch die Bautätigkeit der Feudalherren ebenfalls stark verändert.

Verf. rekonstruiert wie sich diese intensive Bautätigkeit sowohl auf das wirtschaftliche Leben als auch auf die Architektur der kretischen Kirchen auf dem Land auswirkte und die Verbreitung von neuen Techniken verursachte. Die Werkstätten beschäftigten auch lokale Kräfte, die mit den neuen Techniken der Venezianer vertraut wurden. Ein wichtiger Auftraggeber waren die verschiedenen Orden. Ihrerseits mussten die westlichen Auftraggeber sich an die lokalen Bedingungen anpassen: während in Venedig Ziegel verwendet wurden, stand auf Kreta der Stein als vorherrschende Baumaterial reichlich zur Verfügung.

Die Erscheinung westlicher Elemente in der Architektur der kretischen Kirchen, wie Spitztonnengewölbe und -formen, führt Verf. auf die Errichtung franziskanischer Bauten auf Kreta zurück. Es handelt sich dabei also nicht um einen venezianischen Einfluss, sondern um Elemente, die von den Franziskanern importiert wurden. Die Beschäftigung lokaler Kräfte bei den Werkstätten,

die die Kirchen des franziskanischen Ordens errichteten, führte zur Verbreitung dieser Formen und zu ihrer Übernahme auch für die orthodoxen Kirchen.

Das zweite Kapitel trägt die Überschrift „Das Meißeln des Steins“ (Η λάξευση της πέτρας, S. 55–91). Ein neues Element der kretischen Kirchenarchitektur sind Portale, Fensterrahmen und Luken, die venezianischen Vorbildern folgen. Verf. gibt einen Überblick über die Typologie dieser dekorativen Elemente. Sie sind vor allem in Zentralkreta ab dem Beginn des 15. Jhs. nachweisbar, Verf. vermutet jedoch, dass sie bereits früher in Kreta eingeführt wurden. Ihre Verbreitung ist auf die Beschäftigung indigener kretischer Kräfte bei den westlichen Werkstätten zurückzuführen, die die Formen auch für die orthodoxen Kirchen übernahmen. Die Verbreitung dieser Elemente auf dem Land erlaubt Rückschlüsse auf die verlorene profane Architektur der Städte zu ziehen. Sodann wendet sich Verf. den praktischen Aspekten zu, den Steinbrüchen und dem Handel vom Baumaterial. Die archäologischen und schriftlichen Quellen wie auch scharfsinnige Beobachtungen der Verf. führen sie zur Schlussfolgerung, dass im Laufe der Zeit die Produktion, der Vertrieb des Baumaterials und des Materials für den Baudekor standardisiert und spezialisiert wurden. Ab dem 14. Jh. ist die Verwendung von Werksteinen (Steinblöcken in einheitlichen Formen und mit flach behandelten Oberflächen) festzustellen, wobei die Größen variierten. Die Steinbrüche waren nur für eine erste grobe Behandlung des Materials verantwortlich, die Steinmetze schnitten die Blöcke dann in bestimmte Größen und meißelten sie. Steinbrüche verkauften das Baumaterial an Händler. Ab dem 15. Jh. waren auf dem Markt fertige, grob behandelte Teile wie Türschwellen, Konsolen usw. vorhanden, daneben wurden auch unfertige Teile wie Reste von Baumaterial verkauft. Dadurch erfolgte eine Spezialisierung der Berufe und eine Unterscheidung zwischen dem Arbeitspersonal der Steinbrüche und der Steinmetzwerkstätten. Auf diese Weise rekonstruiert Verf. einen wichtigen Bereich des wirtschaftlichen Lebens auf Kreta, für den die Architektur der kretischen Kirchen des Hinterlandes und ihr Dekor eine wichtige Quelle darstellen.

Es folgt eine Untersuchung der kirchlichen Architektur Kretas vom 13.–15. Jh. beginnend mit einem Kapitel über die Einraumkapellen (Η κυριαρχία των μονόχωρων εκκλησιών, S. 93–125). Dieser architektonische Typus überwiegt deutlich auf Kreta. Er ist sowohl in großer Dichte in Siedlungen anzutreffen, als auch außerhalb von diesen und als Klosterkirchen. Verf. fasst die architektonischen Merkmale zusammen und zählt die wichtigsten Varianten auf. Das Spitztonnengewölbe, das von der frühen franziskanischen Architektur übernommen wurde, und ähnliche westliche Elemente der Architektur hält sie im Gegensatz zu K. Gallas nicht für einen Hinweis auf die Benutzung der Kirchengebäude für den lateinischen Ritus, die Bauweise hängt nicht mit der Konfession zusammen. Verf. stellt fest, dass im Westen der Insel wenige venezianische Türrahmen anzutreffen sind, die zudem frühestens aus dem 15. Jh. stammen. Sie nennt allerdings als Beispiel die Kirche des Hl. Nikolaos in Kandanos, die Wandmalereien aus der 1. H. des 14. Jhs. aufweist und der Werkstatt des Ioannes Pagomenos zugeschrieben werden können.

Zur Herkunft des Typus der Einraumkapellen meint Verf., dass der Typus die Fortsetzung der Tradition der mittelbyzantinischen Zeit ist und lehnt die Annahme der älteren Forschung einer östlichen Herleitung des Typus ab. Für die starke Verbreitung des Typus auf Kreta hatte M. Borboudakis finanzielle Gründe vermutet, die laut Verf. das Phänomen aber nicht erklären können. Ihrer Meinung nach weist die große Dichte solcher Einraumkapellen auf die Verbreitung von Privatkapellen hin, zudem ist dies als Indikator für finanziellen Wohlstand zu verstehen. Der Typus der Einraumkapelle überdauert die Jahrhunderte, im Laufe der Zeit werden die Kapellen allerdings größer. Dies erklärt Verf. mit der späteren Nutzung dieser Kirchen als Gemeindekirchen.

Die Motive der Errichtung der Kirchen waren laut Verf. neben der Erfüllung religiöser Bedürfnisse, die private Frömmigkeit bzw. Selbstrepräsentation wie auch die Nutzung der Kirche als Einkommensquelle. Welches dieser Motive trug am meisten zur starken Verbreitung des Typus bei? Hing der Typus mit der neuen kirchlichen/politischen Situation zusammen? Oder ist er auf einen Stifterwunsch zurückzuführen? Die drei angeführten Motive werden sodann von der Verf. eingehender diskutiert beginnend mit der praktischen und wirtschaftlichen Seite des Themas.

Zur Errichtung einer Kirche war eine Genehmigung notwendig. Diese konnte der jeweilige Besitzer erteilen, der Feudalherr, der Staat oder die lateinische Kirche. In den schriftlichen Quellen wird nirgendwo ein bestimmter Bautypus vorgeschrieben. Die Errichtung einer Kirche bedeutet jedoch Abgaben an den jeweiligen Besitzer bzw. an die lateinische Kirche. In vielen Fällen ist das durch die schriftlichen Quellen rekonstruierte System der Erteilung von Baugenehmigungen unklar bzw. uneinheitlich. Wichtig für die These der Verf. ist jedoch die Feststellung, dass bei der Erteilung einer solchen Genehmigung nicht der Bautypus von Bedeutung war, sondern die konfessionelle Zugehörigkeit der zu errichtenden Kirche.

Anhand des *Katastichon ton ekklesion tou koinou*, einer von Tsirpanlis publizierten, wichtigen Quelle über die Kirchen, die um die Hauptstadt Candia auf gemietetem Land errichtet wurden, versucht Verf. das Phänomen der Errichtung von Kirchen zu rekonstruieren. Leider berücksichtigt sie in diesem Teil die Informationen der zahlreichen erhaltenen Stifterinschriften für die Kirchen des Hinterlands zu wenig.

Verf. stellt fest, dass die Mehrheit der Kirchen von Privatpersonen errichtet wurde, von denen viele Priester waren. Die Kirchengebäude wechselten oft den Besitzer wie das gut dokumentierte Beispiel der Kera Eleousa in Candia zeigt. Weitere Beispiele beleuchten die Bedeutung der Kirchen als Einkommensquelle. In dieser Hinsicht sind Privatkapellen, die von einem einzigen Stifter erbaut wurden, als eine Art Unternehmen zu verstehen. Der Besitzer profitierte von den Abgaben und den Stiftungen der Gläubigen, der Priester der Kirche wurde vom Besitzer der Kirche oder von den Gläubigen für verschiedene liturgische Dienste (Taufen, Hochzeiten etc.) bezahlt. Seinerseits musste der Besitzer Abgaben an das lateinische Bistum leisten. Bemerkenswert ist dabei, dass als Abgabeneinheit für die Venezianer nicht die Kirche, sondern der Priester zählte. So rekonstruiert Verf. einen wirtschaftlichen Zweig mit eigener

Dynamik. Verf. deutet mit diesen Ausführungen an, dass die große Dichte an Kirchen auf Profitgründen ihrer Besitzer zurückzuführen seien. Dies erklärt allerdings immer noch nicht die Auswahl des architektonischen Typus.

Schriftliche Quellen belegen die Unzufriedenheit der Venezianer über die Steigerung der Anzahl von Kirchen und Priestern. Die venezianischen Behörden monierten außerdem, dass die Venezianer auf dem Land griechische Kirchen frequentierten. Verf. glaubt, der Typus der Einraumkapelle wurde absichtlich ausgewählt, da er, anders als die stark mit der Orthodoxie verbundenen Kuppelbauten, konfessionell neutral sei. Der Typus sei sowohl für Orthodoxen als auch für Katholiken akzeptabel. Einige dieser Kirchen wurden mal für den orthodoxen, mal für den lateinischen Ritus benutzt. Belege dafür führt Verf. jedoch nicht an. Diese Annahme über das konfessionell neutrale Aussehen der Kirchen widerspricht allerdings der vorher geäußerten Behauptung der Verf., dass die Konstruktionsweise durch die Bauwerkstätten geprägt wurden und deshalb unmöglich von der Konfession der Auftraggeber abhängt (S. 101) bzw. auf die konfessionelle Ausrichtung einer Kirche hindeuten kann. Zudem handelt es sich bei diesem Typus nicht um einen neuen, speziell als konfessionell neutral entwickelten Kirchentypus, sondern um eine Form, die eine lange byzantinische Tradition hat.

Das Thema des nächsten Kapitels sind die Doppelkirchen (Εκκλησίες για την εξυπηρέτηση δύο δογμάτων, S. 127–183). Dabei beschreibt und unterscheidet Verf. zwischen zweischiffigen (δίκλιτες) Kirchen mit zwei Apsiden und hierarchisierten Räumen, die ab der Mitte des 14. Jhs. nachweisbar sind, und Kirchen, die durch die Addition einer (fast) gleichwertigen Einraumkapelle mit eigenem Patrozinium und eigener liturgischer Ausstattung meistens an einer bereits bestehenden Einraumkapelle entstanden sind (διπλές, von K. Gallas als additive Kapellen bezeichnet). Letzterer Typus erscheint ab der Mitte des 15. Jhs., fand eine große Verbreitung auf Kreta und war Jahrhunderte lang in Verwendung. Er unterscheidet sich von dem Typus der zweischiffigen Kirchen dadurch, dass die beiden Kapellen fast gleichwertig in ihrer Größe sind.

Beide Formen, zweischiffige und Doppelkirchen, erscheinen auch in anderen Regionen außerhalb Kretas und wurden in der Forschungsliteratur in Verbindung mit der Nutzung für beide Riten gebracht. Bei dieser Diskussion wurden die kretischen Beispiele zu wenig berücksichtigt.

Verf. hält alle Doppelkirchen grundsätzlich für Kirchen, in denen der Gottesdienst in der einen Kapelle nach dem orthodoxen Ritus, in der anderen nach dem lateinischen Ritus gefeiert wurde. Zunächst bespricht sie die Herleitung des Typus, den sie mit der Architektur der Dominikaner in Verbindung bringt. In den zweischiffigen Klosterkirchen der Dominikaner diene das eine Schiff den Mönchen, das andere war für Laien bestimmt. Neuere Untersuchungen zu diesem Thema stellen jedoch jene nicht nachgewiesene Behauptung in Frage (z. B. W. Schenkluhn, *Architektur der Bettelorden: Die Baukunst der Dominikaner und Franziskaner in Europa*, Darmstadt 2000). Zweischiffige Dominikanerbauten auf Kreta sind außerdem nicht bekannt.

Die hinzugefügten Kapellen seien von Nebenkappen zu unterscheiden, die anderen Zwecken dienten, z. B. als Grabraum, für besondere Kulte oder als

Stiftungen wichtiger Personen. Einer Erklärung warum die hier untersuchten angebauten Einraumkapellen diesen Zwecken nicht gedient haben könnten, bleibt Verf. allerdings schuldig. Über das eventuelle Vorhandensein von Gräbern in diesen Kapellen erfährt man leider nichts. Hier hätten die kretischen Stifterinschriften berücksichtigt werden sollen. Diejenige der Johanneskirche in Choumeriakos, Merabello, gibt beispielsweise an, dass die Brüder Ioannes und Frangiskos Kalonas 1584 die Kirche erneuerten. Als letzterer sechs Jahre später starb, wurde aus diesem Grund eine zweite Kapelle angebaut, die dem Hl. Nikolaos geweiht wurde (G. Gerola, *Monumenti Veneti dell'isola di Creta*, Bd. IV, Venedig 1932, 527, Nr. 20).

Die beispielsweise von M. Borboudakis vertretene Erklärung der additiven Kapellen zum Zweck der Erweiterung oder Vergrößerung des liturgischen Raums lehnt Verf. pauschal ab. Zur liturgischen Ausstattung der hinzugefügten Kapellen macht Verf. leider keine Angaben. Der Annahme der räumlichen Trennung der Einraumkappellen wegen des unterschiedlichen Ritus ist ferner entgegenzusetzen, dass es Doppelkirchen seit der frühbyzantinischen Zeit gibt, wie Verf. selbst zugibt.

Eine Doppelkirche erscheint auf Kreta auch als Katholikon eines Klosters. Diese Klöster waren der Verf. nach als *Proskynemata* konzipiert, die Angehörigen beider Konfessionen ansprechen sollten. Analog hätten franziskanische Klöster Kapellen für den orthodoxen Ritus mit missionarischen Hintergedanken errichtet. Zu beachten ist jedoch, dass die angeführten Kapellen für den lateinischen Ritus keine Apsis haben, wie das Beispiel des Hl. Antonios in Kare, Lassithi, und andere Beispiele belegen. Wann und unter welchen Umständen die Kapelle mit der Apsis hier hinzugefügt wurde, ist unbekannt.

Verf. befragt schließlich die schriftlichen Quellen hinsichtlich der Nutzung der Kirchen für beide Konfessionen. Wenige Quellen, die ab dem ausgehenden 16. Jh. datieren, wie der Bericht von Radzivil, bestätigen die simultane Nutzung eines Kirchenraums für den orthodoxen und den lateinischen Ritus. Um dies zu ermöglichen, mussten besondere Maßnahmen getroffen werden, wobei der Gottesdienst an unterschiedlichen Altären und zeitversetzt aber im gleichen Raum gefeiert wurde. Der durch die schriftlichen Quellen des 17. Jhs. gut dokumentierte Fall der Christos-Kirche in Hierapetra ist der einzige Beweis für die Erweiterung einer orthodoxen Kirche durch eine Kapelle für den lateinischen Ritus. Die Notwendigkeit für diese Erweiterung ergab sich allerdings aus den Streitigkeiten zwischen Orthodoxen und Lateinern für die Nutzung der Kirche. Verf. sieht nun in der Erweiterung der orthodoxen Kirchen auf dem Land einen klaren Beweis für eine verbreitete Praxis der Symbiose der beiden Riten im selben Kirchenraum auch in den früheren Jahrhunderten und zwar einen Beweis, der wichtiger einzustufen sei als die schriftlichen Quellen.

Diese Annahme kann nicht bewiesen werden und ist auch schwer nachvollziehbar angesichts der zahlreichen Quellen, die den Eindruck von unüberbrückbaren religiösen Differenzen zwischen den beiden Konfessionen auf Kreta und einer konfrontativen Situation hinterlassen. Dass die Orthodoxen quasi gezwungen wurden, diese Lösung zu akzeptieren oder aus Profitgründen nichts dagegen unternahmen, muss spekulativ bleiben.

Die Doppelkirchen waren besonders im 16. und 17. Jh. beliebt. Meistens ist es schwierig bauhistorisch festzustellen, wann die zweite Kirche hinzugefügt wurde. In der großen Mehrheit der Fälle weisen allerdings die addierten Kirchen keine Wandmalereien auf, ein Phänomen wofür Verf. keine Erklärung gibt. M. E. handelt es sich dabei um Additionen aus der Zeit nach ca. 1500, als die kretischen Kirchen generell keine Wandmalereiausstattung mehr aufweisen. Allerdings ist die Errichtung einer zweiten Kirche für den lateinischen Ritus sehr unwahrscheinlich, wenn man bedenkt, dass es zu diesem Zeitpunkt, Jahrhunderte nach der venezianischen Eroberung, kaum noch katholische Priester auf dem Land existierten und viele Kreter venezianischer Abstammung inzwischen hellenisiert waren. Dies belegen zahlreiche Berichte der italienischen *Provveditori*. Die Notwendigkeit für die Errichtung solcher Kapellen scheint also nicht gegeben gewesen zu sein. Sie kann jedenfalls nicht in diesem Ausmaß und in dieser Pauschalität angenommen werden.

Letztendlich deutet Verf. die additiven Kapellen als einen Versuch der Trennung der beiden Konfessionen, der das Scheitern für eine unierte Kirche attestiert.

Die Schwierigkeiten bei der Interpretation der Doppelkirchen werden noch bewusster im zusammenfassenden Teil dieses Kapitels (S. 174ff). Dort wird die Frage aufgeworfen, ob uns hier eine Politik der Koexistenz und gegenseitigen Toleranz oder der Trennungslinien offenbart wird. Die Errichtung von Doppelkirchen ergab sich laut Verf. nicht aus der großen Anzahl der Lateiner auf dem Land, sondern sei politisch gewollt gewesen. Die Koexistenz der beiden Konfessionen sei nicht mit harmonischen Beziehungen zwischen den beiden Konfessionen gleichbedeutend. Nicht die lateinische Kirche, sondern Venedig hätte dadurch versucht, die Orthodoxen zur Bekehrung zu zwingen. Denn die lateinische Kirche bestrafte die eigenmächtige Nutzung orthodoxer Kirchen wie eine Bulle des Papstes Leon I. (1513–21) beweist. Die additiven Kapellen dienten also der Vermeidung von Streitigkeiten zwischen Orthodoxen und Katholiken oder hatten zum Zweck, die Katholiken daran zu hindern, an der orthodoxen Liturgie teilzunehmen. In diesem Fall wäre es aber logischer gewesen, unabhängige Kirchen für die Lateiner zu errichten. Als weiterer Grund führt Verf. den Versuch an, ab dem 15. Jh. die Kirchenunion durchzusetzen. Dies erklärt aber nicht die zweischiffigen Kirchen des 14. Jhs., die Verf. ähnlich interpretiert.

Eine Fehldeutung ist m.E. auch die Interpretation der Erweiterung der Nikolaoskirche in Skepasti (S. 180–182). Dort belegt eine Stifterinschrift, dass der gleiche Priestermonch, der 1586 die erste, dem Hl. Nikolaos gewidmete, Einraumkapelle stiftete, 1592 eine zweite Einraumkapelle der Gottesmutter anbauen ließ, als seine Frau nach 28 Jahren Gefangenschaft zurückkehrte. Unbegründet ist hier m.E. die Vermutung, der Stifter wollte durch diese Erweiterung seine Dankbarkeit an die Lateiner zum Ausdruck bringen, die, wie die Verf. annimmt, bei der Befreiung seiner Frau halfen. Oder dass die Errichtung der mutmaßlich für den lateinischen Ritus bestimmten Kirche als gemeinsames Zusammenhalten der orthodoxen-lateinischen Bevölkerung vor den Piraten zu verstehen sei.

Dem einheitlichen architektonischen Muster der Doppelkirchen werden auf diese Weise unterschiedliche Motive und Zwecke für ihre Entstehung gegenübergestellt: mal waren sie das Ergebnis von Auseinandersetzungen, wie in Hierapetra, mal wurden sie aus Dankbarkeit an die Lateiner errichtet, wie angeblich in Skepasti, in anderen Fällen zwecks Missionierung der Angehörigen der jeweils anderen Konfession, mal war es der Versuch der Trennung der gemeinsamen religiösen Praxis und eben die Abwendung der Kontakte zwischen Orthodoxen und Lateinern als Ausdruck einer desintegrativen (Kirchen)Politik. Alle diese an sich interessante Thesen lassen sich leider nicht beweisen.

Das fünfte Kapitel widmet sich den dreischiffigen tonnengewölbten Kirchen (Τρίκλιτες θολοσκέπαστες βασιλικές: το προσφιλές σχέδιο των μετασκευών, S. 185–227). Dieser Typus erscheint auf Kreta nach der venezianischen Eroberung und vor der Zeit der großen Verbreitung der Doppelkirchen. Der Typus ergibt sich meistens aus dem Umbau älterer byzantinischer Kirchen. Es werden die wenigen bekannten Kirchen dieses Typus beschrieben, wobei die ursprüngliche Form der Kirche nicht immer rekonstruiert werden kann (meistens wird als Typus eine Kreuzkuppelkirche angenommen). Der gemeinsame Nenner, den Verf. hier sieht, ist die absichtliche „Modernisierung“ der älteren Bauten nach einem bestimmten Schema, um als Kirchen für den lateinischen Ritus oder als Simultankirchen zu fungieren. Daneben gibt es auch sehr wenige Kirchen, die von Anfang an als dreischiffige tonnengewölbte Kirchen errichtet wurden.

Dem Umbau der älteren Kirchen schreibt Verf. eine große symbolische bzw. religiöse Bedeutung zu, denn sie ginge mit einer Funktionsänderung einher. Dass Erdbeben die Kirchen beschädigten und zu einem Umbau zwangen, lehnt Verf. pauschal ab. Sie führt allerdings nur ein Erdbeben im Jahr 1303 an, das nicht für alle Umbauten herhalten kann, belegt sind allerdings durch die schriftlichen Quellen eine ganze Reihe von starken Erdbeben und bekanntlich ist Kreta in dieser Hinsicht eine stark gefährdete Region.

Die Raumanalyse und manche liturgische Konstruktionen dienen der Verf. als Beweis für ihre These. Angeführt wird eine Art Synthronon in Kamariotis, das Vorhandensein von drei Altären in manchen der angeführten Kirchen, Nischen für Weihwasser wie auch Reste eines Ambos in der Johanneskirche in Liliano. Diesem letzten Befund misst sie besondere Bedeutung zu, denn Ambokonstruktionen aus der mittelbyzantinischen Zeit seien sehr selten. In Kombination mit der Erweiterung des Raumes durch den Umbau der älteren Kirchen stellt sie die These auf, dass die Kirchen speziell für Predigen der Orden bestimmt waren.

Von den angeführten Konstruktionen sind Nischen für Weihwasser die einzigen Elemente, die tatsächlich für die postulierte Nutzung für den lateinischen Ritus sprechen. Ihre Anzahl ist jedoch so gering, dass sie die pauschalen Ergebnisse der Verf. nicht rechtfertigen.

Verf. schlussfolgert, dass die Kirchen des in diesem Kapitel untersuchten Typus der Durchführung des Gottesdienstes in beiden Riten diene. Die Entfernung der ursprünglichen Kuppel hatte zum Zweck, den Kirchen ihre or-

thodoxe Identität zu nehmen. Sie bewirkte den sozialen Frieden und die Annäherung der Orthodoxen an die lateinische Bevölkerung. Da die meisten dieser Kirchen im Einflussbereich der Kallergis-Familie entstanden sind, sei die bisherige Annahme der Forschung, dass die Kallergis-Familie sich besonders für die Orthodoxen einsetzte, was übrigens durch die *Pax Alexi Callergi* von 1299 bezeugt ist, zu relativieren.

Schließlich stellt Verf. die Frage, ob es legitim ist, einen Bautypus mit einer gewissen Konfession in Verbindung zu bringen. Eine klare Antwort sei nicht möglich. Erst ab dem 15. Jh. verliere die Architektur ihre symbolische Bedeutung. Damit relativiert sie allerdings ihre eigenen oft widersprüchlichen Thesen. Denn die Rede ist sowohl von der symbolischen Bedeutung des Bautypus wie auch von einer gewollten konfessionellen Neutralität.

Der Reduzierung der Kuppelbauten auf Kreta ab dem 13. Jh., das Thema des nächsten Kapitels (Η υποχώρηση των τρούλλων, S. 229–263), führt sie ebenfalls auf die Intention der Entfernung des orthodoxen Charakters zurück. Wie ist jedoch die Errichtung von Kuppelbauten auch noch bis ins 15. Jh. zu erklären? Warum wurden sie nicht umgebaut? Für eine Reihe von Kuppelbauten, die in der venezianischen Herrschaft weiterhin benutzt wurden, werden unterschiedliche, allerdings nicht beweisbare Erklärungen angeboten: Bei der Bischofskirche des Hl. Myron wurde der Kuppelbau beibehalten, weil die Lateiner kein Interesse an der Kirche selbst, sondern nur an ihr Vermögen hätten. In anderen Fällen, darunter Bischofskirchen, die angeblich für den lateinischen Klerus benutzt wurden, wurde der orthodoxe Bautypus beibehalten, um Auseinandersetzungen zu vermeiden, oder wegen der kultischen Bedeutung der Kirchen oder aus finanziellen Gründen. Es werden also die gleichen Argumente angeführt, die der Erklärung der Umbauten dienen! Als Fazit wird formuliert, dass keine aggressive Latinisierung der Bischofssitze beabsichtigt wurde, die Beibehaltung orthodoxer Bauformen und ihre mutmaßliche Benutzung durch die Lateiner sei als ein Zeichen des Respekts gegenüber der lokalen orthodoxen Bevölkerung zu werten.

Im letzten Teil des Kapitels wird die Bedeutung der Kuppel als Synonym für die Orthodoxie unterstrichen und es werden Beispiele angeführt für die nachträgliche Betonung des orthodoxen Charakters einer Kirche, indem man einer älteren Einraumkapelle einen Narthex mit Kuppel hinzufügte. Da solche Narthices mit Kuppeln jedoch auch an Kuppelbauten hinzugefügt wurden (s. die angeführten Beispiele in der Anm. 89 auf S. 256), ist diese These zu relativieren. Zurecht stellt Verf. schließlich fest, dass bei der Übernahme der Kuppelform für Bauten in Venedig Kreta eine wichtige Vermittlerfunktion hatte. In dieser Hinsicht halte ich jedoch die Herleitung des Typus der Fünfkuppelkirche des Christos, Hl. Demetrios und Hl. Nikolaos in Kounaboi von San Marco in Venedig, die ihrerseits bekanntlich die Apostelkirche in Konstantinopel kopiert, für abwegig.

Die Panagia-Kirche in Prinos, Mylopotamos, ist der Gegenstand des nächsten Kapitels (Ανάμεσα στο Βυζάντιο και τη Βενετία: Η εκκλησία της Παναγίας στον Πρίνο Μυλοποτάμου, S. 265–299). Es handelt sich um eine Kreuzkuppelkirche im Typus des freistehenden Kreuzes. Verf. beschreibt die

Architektur, die byzantinische und westliche Elemente kombiniert. Gleiches gilt für die Wandmalereien. Die Datierung der Kirche, die als Katholikon eines Klosters diente, ergibt sich aus der zeitlichen Einsetzung der Wandmalereien in die 2. H. des 15. Jhs. durch die Verf. Ich halte allerdings die von I. Spatharakis vorgeschlagene zeitliche Einordnung der Malereien in die 1. H. des 15. Jhs. für überzeugender.

Zum Kloster existiert nur eine schriftliche Quelle des 17. Jh.s, nach der das Kloster von dem kretischen Adligen Farnzisco Gritti dem Priester Gianna Varouchas übergeben wurde. Die Gestaltung des Klosters führt Verf. zur Annahme, es handele sich nicht um ein orthodoxes Kloster. Die Genehmigung für die Einrichtung eines orthodoxen Klosters wäre nach der Verf. ohnehin nicht möglich gewesen, auch weil nach der Synode von Ferrara 1439 die lateinische Kirche versuchte, die Orthodoxie einzuschränken. Besonders nach dem Aufstand des Sephes Vlastos 1453/54 wurden strenge Maßnahmen gegen die Orthodoxen getroffen. Die antiorthodoxe Politik Venedigs und der lateinischen Kirche, die hier als Argument angeführt wird, widerlegt allerdings die vorher entwickelte These der Verf. über die Doppelkirchen und die friedliche Koexistenz der beiden Konfessionen.

Unter Betrachtung aller Faktoren (Architektur, Malerei, politische Situation) schlussfolgert Verf., dass es sich um ein Kloster handelte, das die Kirchenunion propagieren sollte. Als Hinweis *ex silentio* führt sie das Fehlen einer zweiten Einraumkapelle für den lateinischen Ritus an und sie findet es erstaunlich, dass es keinen zweiten Altar in der Kirche gibt. Nach dieser Logik müssten aber sämtliche Einraumkapellen Kretas für den Ritus der Unierten bestimmt gewesen sein. Problematisch ist ferner die Annahme, dass bis zum 15. Jh. der Charakter der Malereien keine konfessionelle Bedeutung gehabt hätte, in der 2. H. des 15. Jhs. jedoch schon. Gründe für diese Aussage werden leider nicht genannt. Weiterhin halte ich die Behauptung, dass die Kuppel der Panagia-Kirche in Prinos trotz ihres orthodoxen Charakters beibehalten wurde, da die Kuppelform zu dieser Zeit in Venedig beliebt waren, für abwegig.

Das letzte Kapitel trägt den Titel „Zwischen dem Westen und dem Osten“ (Ανάμεσα στη Δύση και την Ανατολή, S. 301–307). Hier wiederholt Verf. die Ergebnisse der vorangehenden Kapitel und verbindet sie miteinander. Dabei stellt sie abschließend fest, dass sich die Kirchen auf dem Land allmählich vom byzantinischen architektonischen Stil entfernen würden. Das Erstaunliche dabei wäre, dass diese Gebäude jedoch mit Malereien byzantinischen Charakters kombiniert werden.

Bibliographie, eine englische Zusammenfassung und ein Index vervollständigen die Arbeit, die von schönen Photos und Grundrissen begleitet wird.

Das Buch bietet eigentlich keine Architekturgeschichte und auch keine detaillierte Typologie der kretischen Kirchen. Es wird eine kulturelle und konfessionelle Lesung bestimmter Bauformen versucht, durch welche weitreichende Aussagen zum Charakter der Kultur Kretas formuliert werden. Leider geschieht dies unter selektiver Berücksichtigung der schriftlichen Quellen, die sehr oft nicht zeitgenössisch mit den Monumenten sind, wie die der Stifterinschriften und der Wandmalerei. So entsteht der Eindruck, auf

Kreta gäbe es überwiegend Kirchen für beide Riten. Dies kann jedoch in den wenigsten Fällen durch schriftliche und archäologische Zeugnisse oder bauhistorisch belegt werden. Alles Andere bleibt hypothetisch und in vielen Fällen nicht nachvollziehbar.

Neben diesem generellen Urteil sind grundsätzlich noch folgende methodische Probleme hervorzuheben: Meistens wird die Architektur einer Kirche über die Malerei in ihrem Inneren datiert, was grundsätzlich unzulässig ist. Dies geschieht beispielsweise bei der Kirche des Erzengels Michael in Kakodiki, die die Verf. aufgrund deren Wandmalereien ins 14. Jhs. datiert. Dabei übersieht Verf., dass es sich dabei um die zweite Malschicht handelt, wie auch K. Gallas bemerkte. Eine ältere Malereischicht, die vermutlich spätestens aus dem 13. Jh. stammt, ist an wenigen Stellen noch sichtbar.

Ein weiteres Problem stellt der Umstand dar, dass Verf. mit *rito greco* stets den unierten Ritus (so etwa S. 182, 294) meint, was eine Fehldeutung der schriftlichen Quellen ist. Die zahlreichen negativen Äußerungen über den *rito greco* in den venezianischen Quellen weisen jedoch darauf hin, dass damit der orthodoxe Ritus gemeint war.

Abschließend ist festzustellen, dass die Forschung noch weit davon entfernt ist, die Kultur Kretas und ihre Äußerungen in der Zeit der venezianischen Herrschaft vollständig zu verstehen. Die hier besprochene ideenreiche Monographie wird aber sicherlich die weitere Forschung dazu anregen.

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G. C. HORROCKS, *Greek: a history of the language and its speakers*. Oxford/West Sussex, Wiley-Blackwell 2010. 525 S. ISBN 978-1-4051-3415-6.

Bei der hier zu rezensierenden Publikation handelt es sich um eine neue, erweiterte und verbesserte Ausgabe. Die erste Ausgabe des Buches erschien im Jahr 1997, wurde mehrmals (positiv) besprochen und ins Neugriechische übersetzt (2006 von M. Stavrou und M. Tzeveleku). Das Buch war ausverkauft und konnte nicht mehr ediert werden, da die Serie (*Longman Linguistics Library*), deren Bestandteil es war, seit der Übernahme des Longman Verlags durch den Pearson Verlag nicht mehr existierte. Die zweite Ausgabe, ein Buch von höchstetischer Qualität, ist 2010 im Verlag Wiley-Blackwell erschienen.

Wie die vorausgegangenen Besprechungen bereits deutlich gemacht haben, bildet das Buch von H. ein Desiderat für die Geschichte der griechischen Sprache. Die zu diesem Thema vorliegenden Werke sind entweder zu verkürzt (beispielsweise die Bücher von Browning und Tonnet³), um den Ansprüchen des heutigen Forschers der griechischen Sprache zu genügen, oder aber sie decken nur eine bestimmte Zeitspanne ab (so reicht die Geschichte der grie-

³ R. BROWNING, *Medieval and Modern Greek*. ²Cambridge 1986; H. TONNET, *Histoire du grec moderne: la formation d'une langue*. ²Paris 2003.

chischen Sprache von Christides⁴ lediglich bis zur Spätantike und das Buch von Adrados befasst sich nur auf wenigen Seiten – im spanischen Original S. 260–277 – mit dem Neugriechischen⁵). Der Schwerpunkt meiner Besprechung wird auf den Ergänzungen der zweiten Ausgabe des Buches im Vergleich zur ersten liegen.

Die allgemeine Struktur der zweiten Ausgabe ist weitgehend gleich geblieben. Das Buch besteht aus drei großen Teilen: *Part I Ancient Greek: From Mycenae to the Roman Empire*, *Part II Byzantium: From Constantine I to Mehmet the Conqueror*, *Part III Modern Greek: From the Ottoman Empire to the European Union*. Diesen Teilen geht eine Einführung in die Zielsetzung des Werkes voraus, die einen umfassenden Einblick in Ansicht und Methodologie des Autors erlaubt. Schnell wird klar, dass der Schwerpunkt, im Gegensatz zu anderen Entwicklungsgeschichten der Sprache, weder auf einer bestimmten Periode (z.B. Altgriechisch oder Byzantinisch), noch auf einer eindimensionalen Berücksichtigung nur der schriftlichen oder nur der mündlichen Sprache liegt. H. bemüht sich, alle sprachlichen Phasen der griechischen Sprache anhand sowohl hoch- als auch volkssprachlicher Quellen in ihrem historischen und sozialen Kontext zu erfassen. Infolgedessen geht jedem Teil eine Übersicht der historischen und sozialen Ereignisse voraus, da es – wie der Titel besagt – um die Geschichte der Sprache und der sie Sprechenden geht.

Vergeblich sucht der Leser im ersten Teil nach Informationen über die Genese der griechischen Sprache aus dem Indogermanischen, ihren Austritt aus den übrigen Sprachen dieser Familie und die erheblichen Abweichungen von den anderen indogermanischen Sprachen. Das Buch beginnt mit dem Kommen der ‚Griechen‘ nach Griechenland.

Der Kritik der ersten Ausgabe des Buches, dass die altgriechische Sprache nicht besonders gründlich dargestellt worden sei, begegnet H. mit einer Erweiterung des ersten Teils (*Ancient Greek*). Das erste Kapitel (*The Ancient Greek Dialects*)⁶ wurde mit einer Reihe von Beispielen zu jedem Dialekt bereichert. Das Unterkapitel 1.4 (*Some Examples*) auf S. 24–40 ist neu und die Charakteristika der griechischen Dialekte werden mit Hilfe von Inschriftentexten aufgezeigt. Auch dem zweiten (*Classical Greek: official and literary 'standards'*) und dritten Kapitel (*The Rise of Attic*) wurden Beispiele aus literarischen Texten (Homer, Archilochos, Sappho, Pindar, Sophokles, Herodot, Thukydides, Plato und Demosthenes) hinzugefügt.

Alle Beispiele werden wie folgt angegeben: der griechische Text im Original, phonetische Transkription, die der Aussprache der jeweiligen sprachlichen Periode entspricht, Wort-für-Wort-Übersetzung ins Englische und am Ende die

⁴ A.-F. CHRISTIDIS, *Η ελληνική γλώσσα και οι διάλεκτοί της / La langue grecque et ses dialects*, Thessaloniki 2005.

⁵ F.R. ADRADOS, *Historia de la Lengua Griega. De los origins a nuestros días*. Madrid 1999. Es überrascht, dass dieses Buch, welches ins Englische, Deutsche und Griechische übersetzt worden ist, nicht in Horrocks Bibliographie aufgenommen wurde.

⁶ Bezeichnend ist die Änderung des Titels: *Ancient Greek and its dialects* war der ursprüngliche Titel.

englische Gesamtübersetzung des Textes. Diese Methode wurde bereits in der ersten Ausgabe angewandt und ist in der zweiten gleich geblieben. Die Ergänzung des internationalen phonetischen Alphabets zu Beginn des Buches (S. xvii) ist in diesem Zusammenhang überaus hilfreich. Das Unterfangen, die jeweilige Aussprache wiederzugeben, stellt innerhalb der Geschichte der griechischen Sprache eine Innovation dar, die von Allen (*Vox Graeca*)⁷ beeinflusst zu sein scheint. Einige Beispiele werfen Fragen und Widersprüche auf (siehe die Besprechung der ersten Ausgabe von Julian Méndez Dosuna, *Journal of Greek Linguistics* 1, 2000, 274–295). H. ist es gelungen, diese in seiner zweiten Ausgabe aufzuspüren und einige Verbesserungen nachzutragen (wie auf S. 358 das Verschwinden des Akuts in der Transkription auf *vá* Z. 7). Dennoch fallen zahlreiche Fehler innerhalb der phonetischen Transkription auf; in der Tabelle auf S. xviii wird die phonetische Transkription [b] beispielsweise zur modernen Aussprache des Neugriechischen <β>; auf S. 184 wird das Wort <καί> einmal als [kai] und ein Wort danach als [ce] phonetisch transkribiert. Im allgemeinen ist die exakte phonetische Wiedergabe jeder zeitlichen Periode eine äußerst schwierige Aufgabe, und jede von H.s Entscheidungen (z.B. die Aussprache des attischen <ζ> immer als [zd], die frühzeitige Datierung der Synizese in die hellenistische Zeit, die phonetische Wiedergabe der Texte der kretischen Literatur des 16. und 17. Jh.s mit der heutigen Aussprache) könnte an dieser Stelle diskutiert, angezweifelt oder verworfen werden. Dessen ungeachtet bleibt es eine lobenswerte Arbeit.

In den drei übrigen Kapiteln (*Greek in the Hellenistic World*, *Greek in the Roman Empire*, *Spoken Koine in the Roman Period*) des ersten Teils lassen sich keine bedeutenden Unterschiede zur ersten Ausgabe erkennen. Subtile Änderungen finden sich z.B. in einigen Titeln (z.B. 4.7.7 *Drama: the 'new' Attic comedy and the mime*, dem das literarische Genre Mime beigelegt wurde, 5.4. *Roman Attitudes to Greek Culture* ersetzt den Titel *Romanitas and Hellenism*). In manchen Fällen werden detaillierte Beschreibungen sprachlicher Phänomene wiedergegeben (wie im Kapitel 4.11.3 das Partizip), durch eine erweiterte Bibliographie ergänzt, die die neuen Forschungsergebnisse berücksichtigt, und mit neuen Beispielen bereichert (siehe die neuen Wörter auf S. 128 über den Einfluss des Lateinischen auf das Griechische, den Menander-Text auf S. 138–139, die Phrynichos- und Matthäus-Beispiele auf S. 150). Ebenso wurden neue sprachliche Phänomene mit aufgenommen (auf S. 148 zur neutestamentlichen Sprache sind die Bemerkungen über den Nominativ anstelle von Akkusativ und Vokativ neu, oder auf S. 156–157 zum Gebrauch von τυγχάνω). Überall (in diesem wie auch in den übrigen Teilen des Buchs) wurde die Literatur umfassend aktualisiert. Tatsächlich umfasst die Bibliographie 200 neue Einträge.

Der zweite Teil (*Byzantium: From Constantine I to Mehmet the Conqueror*) besteht wie in der ersten Ausgabe aus sechs Kapiteln: *Historical Prelude*, *Greek in the Byzantine Empire: The major issues*, *Byzantine Belles Lettres*, *The Written Koine in Byzantium*, *Spoken Greek in Byzantine Empire*, *Texts in the 'Vernacular'*. Die Titel der zahlreichen Unterkapitel wurden in einigen Fällen

⁷ W.S. ALLEN, *Vox Graeca. The Pronunciation of Classical Greek*. ³Cambridge 1987.

leicht variiert (meist verkürzt),⁸ Schlussfolgerungen werden den Kapiteln 8 und 9 hinzugefügt – so dass nun jedes Kapitel dieses Teils mit den Schlussfolgerungen endet. Das neunte Kapitel (*Byzantine Belles Lettres*) ist mit einem zusätzlichen Unterkapitel (*After the Fall: Michael Kritóboulos (15th Century)*) versehen, in dem H. sprachlich auf einen Ausschnitt des Werks des byzantinischen Autors Kritoboulos eingeht. Die Textbeispiele sind im allgemeinen im zweiten Teil vielfältiger: eine Passage aus der *Chronographia* von Psellos (S. 234), zwei zusätzliche Passagen aus Malalas (S. 246 und 248) sowie der griechische Text aus *De Administrando Imperio* (S. 259). Was den theoretischen Aspekt angeht, so wurden einige Teile zuweilen verkürzt, meist jedoch mit neuem Material angereichert (wie auf S. 250–251). In literaturgeschichtlichem Hinblick wurde das Kapitel über die Chronographien (S. 222–225) um mehrere Autoren, wie den Anonymus des *Chronikon Paschale*, Georgios Synkellos, Georgios Monachos und Symeon Logothetes erweitert. Der Ausbau der Liste mit den volkssprachlichen Änderungen der christlichen Tradition (der stabile Gebrauch von δύο anstelle des Duals, der Gebrauch von μή mit nicht finiten Verben, S. 256) und die anschauliche Zusammenstellung der Regeln für die Bewahrung des finalen –v können verzeichnet werden. Insgesamt wurden die meisten Listen mit der Darstellung der sprachlichen Merkmale bearbeitet und sinnvoll ergänzt.

Der dritte Teil (*Modern Greek: From the Ottoman Empire to the European Union*) besteht wie in der vorangegangenen Ausgabe aus fünf Kapiteln (*Ottoman Rule and the War of Independence*, *Spoken Greek in the Ottoman Period*, *Written Greek in the Turkish Period*, *The History of the Modern Greek State*, *The 'Language Question' and its Resolution*). Neben den kleinen Änderungen in den Titeln⁹ liegt der Unterschied in der Ergänzung zweier neuer Unterkapitel: 14.2.6 das Kapitel *The northern dialects*, und 17.8 am Ende des Buches *A Range of Styles*, welches sich aus Beispielen aus den Werken der literarischen Autoren G. Seferis, M. Douka und P. Markaris, einem Artikel der Zeitung *To Vima* und einer Passage aus einem Gesetzentwurf des Bildungsministeriums zusammensetzt. Auffällig sind die neuen Beispiele für die süditalienischen Dialekte (S. 390–391) sowie für die Dialekte der Dodekanes, auf Kreta und Zypern (S. 394–397). Die Listen der sprachlichen Charakteristika werden auch hier erweitert (z. B. die demotischen, phonologischen und morphologischen

⁸ Besonders in Kapitel 8 (8.3 *The Prestige of Greek* anstelle von *The Prestige of Greek: Byzantine identity in the middle period*, 8.4 *Greek in the Later Empire* anstelle von *'Greek' identity in the Later Empire: linguistic implications*, 8.4.1 *Introduction* anstelle von *National reappraisal*, 8.4.2 *Byzantine Atticism* anstelle von *Byzantine belles lettres and the Atticist revival*, 8.5.7 *A new written standard in the later empire* anstelle von *The Koine in the later empire: a new written standard*). Kapitel 10 wurde zu *The written koine in Byzantium* anstelle von *Middle styles in Byzantium*.

⁹ 13.2 *Ottoman decline* anstatt *Ottoman decline and the Greek revival* und Kapitel 14 *Spoken Greek in the Ottoman Period* anstatt *Spoken Greek in the Ottoman Empire*.

Merkmale auf S. 424–426).¹⁰ Der historische Überblick dehnt sich in dieser Ausgabe bis zum Jahre 2002 (S. 437) aus.

In seiner überarbeiteten Ausgabe bemüht sich der Autor um die Ausmerzung kleiner Schwächen der vorigen, um zahlreiche Nachträge sinnvoller Beispiele, um anschauliche Listen und die Aktualisierung der Bibliographie, und so konnten in der Tat viele der einst zu überprüfenden Stellen verbessert oder gänzlich ersetzt werden. Die meisten Überarbeitungen betreffen den sprachlichen Teil. Bezüglich der historischen Gegebenheit jeder Phase der griechischen Gesellschaft basiert das Buch nach wie vor auf wichtigen Referenzwerken, die ohne größere Vertiefung die groben Züge der griechischen Geschichte wiedergeben. In diesem Teil sind nur geringfügige Änderungen zu finden.

Leserfreundlicher sind die Endnoten, die sich nicht mehr ganz am Ende befinden, sondern im Anschluss an jedes einzelne Kapitel. Gleichwohl könnten diese ebenso zu Fußnoten umgestaltet werden. Das Buch richtet sich an ein breitgefächertes Publikum, das ein Erscheinen als Paperback sicherlich begrüßen würde. Der Umschlag der ersten Ausgabe (Christusdetail aus dem Deesis-Mosaik der Hagia Sophia) wurde durch das Bild eines delischen Amphitheaters ersetzt. Des sich aufdrängenden Eindrucks, das Buch sei ein Touristenführer, kann man sich dadurch kaum erwehren. Besonders der interessierte Laie dürfte hin und wieder Schwierigkeiten haben, die Baumdiagramme (beschränkt auf S. 279–280) und die linguistische Terminologie zu verstehen. Ohne Zweifel ist es ein schwieriges Unterfangen, dem Erwartungshorizont aller Rezipienten zu genügen. Das Buch wird von Wissenschaftlern unterschiedlicher Herkunft gelesen, beispielsweise von Philologen, die mit einer spezialisierten Sprachwissenschaft nicht vertraut sind, oder aber von Sprachwissenschaftlern, deren täglich Brot der Umgang mit Texten der antiken oder byzantinischen Literatur ist, oder von Literaturspezialisten, deren Forschungshorizont eine abgesteckte Zeitepoche (antike, byzantinische oder neugriechische) umfasst. Innerhalb des Buchs finden sich einige Stellen, die besser erklärt werden sollten, anderen wiederum haftet unnötiger Informationsballast an. Gleichwohl gelingt es dem Autor, den Durchschnitt seiner Leser auf eine verständliche und eindruckliche Weise zu erreichen.

Am Ende steht das Buch von H. nach wie vor als ein monumentales Werk für die Geschichte der griechischen Sprache. Auf vorbildliche Weise ist dem Autor das diffizile und nicht wenig komplexe Unternehmen geglückt, die linguistische Beschreibung der griechischen Sprache (synchronische Analyse und diachronische Änderungen) auf allen Ebenen (Phonologie, Morphologie, Syntax, Wortschatz) mithilfe einer innovativen Methodik darzustellen. Die Vielzahl der sprachlichen Phänomene und Texte, die diskutiert, analysiert und kommentiert werden, sind in keiner anderen Beschreibung der griechischen

¹⁰ Siehe auch mehrere Beispiele für die sprachlichen Eigenheiten von Konstantinopel auf S. 449–450.

Sprache zu finden; die Ergebnisse der Untersuchung sind an vielen Stellen originell und überall mit reicher Sekundärliteratur versehen.

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Paul Magdalino / Robert NELSON (eds.), *The Old Testament in Byzantium. Dumbarton Oaks Byzantine Symposia and Colloquia*. Washington D.C., Dumbarton Oaks 2010. 300 p. illustrations. ISBN 978-0-88402-348-7.

This is the second volume in the series *Dumbarton Oaks Byzantine Symposia and Colloquia*. It comprises an important collection of essays from the 2006 symposium, "The Old Testament in Byzantium" that was held in conjunction with the exhibit, "In the Beginning: Bibles Before the Year 1000" at the Freer and Sackler Galleries in Washington, D.C. This volume accomplishes what it intends: to address a lacuna in the field of Byzantine studies. As editors Paul Magdalino and Robert Nelson remark in their introduction, while Byzantine Christianity has been widely examined, "the Bible, the foundation of all Christian belief, has never previously been the focus of any monograph, journal, handbook, volume of collected studies, conference, or exhibition devoted to Byzantium" (1). The significance of this collection of essays can be measured, at least in part, by the prominence of the Bible in Byzantium. Bibles of varying scope could be found in churches, monasteries and homes. Scriptural themes abounded in word and image, and transformed the lives not only of Byzantines, but of Jewish and Muslim peoples as well. In this collection of essays readers will find reliable guidance to several facets of the Old Testament in Byzantium (and beyond), ranging from the fourth through twelfth centuries.

In their introduction the editors orient readers to the contours of the volume. They reflect on the competing legacies of the Old Testament (OT) among Christians and Jews, narrate the increasing preoccupation with the OT in Byzantium by illustrating how the empire fashioned itself and its capital as the New Israel and Jerusalem respectively, and conclude with brief comparative reflections on the role of the OT in Byzantium and other medieval societies. There are two main foci in the essays that follow: how Byzantines encountered Bibles as cultural artifacts (chs 2–5), and the ways in which they and their neighbors appropriated this text in their everyday lives (chs 4, 6–11).

The first four essays examine the OT as a physical artifact. Nicholas DE LANGE writes about the Greek Bible translations of Byzantine Jews. He sets out to correct the "sweeping generalization" (39) that the language of the Jewish minority for most any occasion was Hebrew. On the basis of manuscript evidence (primarily from the Cairo Genizah), he argues that Jewish men learned to read the Hebrew Bible with the help of Greek translations based upon the second century Greek translation by Akylas (Aquila). James MILLER's essay helpfully cautions against the easy anachronism that the physical format of the Byzantine Bible corresponded to the format with which we are today

familiar: a single codex comprising all the writings deemed canonical. In fact, he reminds us, a complete OT in Byzantium would have been comparatively rare. He contends that the lectionary designated by modern scholars as the *Prophetologion* (in use between the 9th and 16th centuries) best corresponds to the modern OT in Byzantium. This slender anthology of liturgical readings conveyed only a fraction of the complete OT. Miller sketches its contents and uses, and helpfully locates the *Prophetologion* amidst other vehicles for conveying a knowledge of the OT to the “common man.” Georgi PARPULOV argues for the central role of the Psalms in personal devotional life (as opposed to the public liturgy) by examining Psalters which were copied for personal, rather than public liturgical use. “Byzantine manuscripts of the Psalter are the physical remains of the such pious observances” (81). He gleans evidence for his thesis from the Psalms’ arrangement in the Psalter, accompanying texts (often prayers), and perhaps most interesting, how miniatures could reflect the devotional use of the Psalms. Parpulov appends excerpts from three “reasonably typical” Byzantine Psalters (100–105).

The first block of essays comes to a close with John LOWDEN’s examination of six illustrated Octateuchs (*Pentateuch*, plus Joshua, Judges and Ruth). Ultimately, he presses for the significance of these manuscripts by noting that this book achieved unique status in Byzantium, as there was no clear analogue for it in the medieval west. This richly illustrated chapter takes readers into the many facets of the production of Octateuch manuscripts, such as their commissioning, mechanics of production, and interrelationships. The main focus of the essay, however, is to trace the history of their images with a view to challenging Kurt Wietzmann’s thesis that these manuscripts found their iconographic models in a pre-Byzantine context. Rather, Lowden argues, the best evidence suggests that we ought to view these illustrations as a middle and late Byzantine phenomenon.

Elizabeth JEFFREYS heads the next section of essays. She explores the use of the OT in the Byzantine chronicle, i.e. the “Christianized world history from creation to the time of each example’s composition or compilation” (153). Jeffreys offers a clear overview of the history of chronicle writing in the Christian tradition, its basic feature (a “meshing together of ruler lists from the Hellenic and Roman chronographic traditions with a chronology derived from the Old Testament genealogical lists” [159]) and the ways chronicle writers were both dependent on precursors as well as constructive with new agendas. The focus of her essay is on two passages in the chronicle of Malalas (mid sixth century) about the magicians who opposed Moses in Pharaoh’s court and the Assyrian Sennacherib’s failed siege of Jerusalem. Both passages “perhaps typify how the Old Testament is used in the Byzantine Christian world chronicle” (161), namely, the chronicle framed the OT as a type that pointed not simply to Christianity in general, but Byzantium in particular, thereby reflecting and bolstering the notion that Byzantium was the new Israel, God’s elect. Claudia RAPP’s essay is written with overlapping concerns. Focusing on literature from the first three and half centuries of the Byzantine empire, she explores the sorts of associations made between emperors and OT figures.

Ultimately she contends that “[t]wo main modes of establishing a relationship to Old Testament models can be identified, the Roman mode of the *exemplum* and the Christian mode of typology” (177). After defining these two imitative modes, she examines several literary contexts in which these associations were made, arguing that the use of *exemplum* or *typos* “depended upon the outlook and training of the author and on the literary genre in which he wrote. Historians favored the *exemplum*, while theologians preferred the *typos*, but both groups shared an appreciation of the Old Testament as the root, baseline, and standard against which their present had to be measured” (197).

“Byzantine monasticism sang, taught, interpreted, embodied, and reenacted Scripture” (220). Derek KRUEGER situates the OT in Byzantine monastic culture from the fourth through twelfth centuries. In the *Apophthegmata patrum*, for example, the heroes of the OT regularly exemplified central monastic virtues, thus serving as models for monks to imitate. Distinct from this literal approach was an allegorical interpretation that saw in the OT shadows of the deeper spiritual truths that informed the monastic life. Alongside interpretations of Scripture, Krueger reminds us that Scripture was spoken, read and heard by monks in the context of the liturgy. Here his essay dovetails nicely with G. Parpulov’s. “[T]he Psalms scripted the monk’s interior self-reflection and outward self-presentation” (218). Along the way, Krueger reminds the reader that as the OT shaped the monastic life, so too did monks refashion the Bible into a monastic text, relevant to their concerns.

Robert OUSTERHOUT assesses “the metaphorical language of Byzantine architecture, in which the Temple figures prominently as a powerful, potent, and multivalent image” (225). Much of the essay works with the distinction between metaphorical descriptions of churches as temples on the one hand, and symbols of temples “embedded or encoded within the architectural forms of the building itself” on the other (228). He offers two case studies, the Church of the Holy Sepulchre and the Hagia Sophia. “In the final analysis,” he concludes, “neither the Holy Sepulchre nor Hagia Sophia looked anything like the Temple” (251–252), i. e., they did not evoke the Temple through architectural form. But this is not to suggest they did not code it through words, or indeed, through ceremonies, relicts or settings. It is these linkages that Ousterhout explores, encouraging readers to develop more sophisticated categories for discerning the polyvalency of Byzantine architecture.

Two final essays turn to the use of the OT beyond the borders of Byzantium. Ivan BILIARSKY examines the decisive period of the reign of Tsar Symeon (893–927) in which Bulgaria transitioned from a pagan, barbarian state to a Christian imperial one. Drawing upon two texts, the *List of the Names of Bulgar Princes* and the *Bulgarian Apocryphal Chronicle of the Eleventh Century*, he argues that the “dominant themes of these two texts were borrowed from the Bible, and they substituted for pagan beliefs and images of authority” (256). In particular, he focuses on how scriptural themes of a promised land, a chosen people, and the king, all based in the OT, surfaced in these texts, and were used to forge a new identity for the early medieval Bulgarian state, in its transitional period. Jane DAMMEN MCAULIFFE completes this collection of essays by

surveying the ways in which Moses, and by extension other biblical material, relate to the Qur'an. She offers a helpful overview of how scholars explain the emergence of Moses' biography within the Qur'an and how this biography functions. "Virtually every major element in Muhammad's prophetic vocation finds its counterpart in the life of Moses ..." (188). In the final sections of her essay she explores the validity (or lack thereof) of biblical materials for contemporary Muslim scholarship and concludes with a plea for further research into the "full historico-cultural context of the Qur'an's genesis and of its relations to earlier sacred literatures" (298).

By any account, this volume ought to be considered a success. It orients readers to its vast, and as yet, still largely untapped theme. It is also an attractive volume and adorned with numerous illustrations. Arguably the main leitmotif in this collection of essays is how Byzantines transformed the OT into a profoundly *relevant* text so that it spoke to, and informed, their lives. If I might voice a critique from the perspective of an historian of Christianity, it is that such a theme suggests additional topics for examination. "The Old Testament and Byzantine Philology" would have proven an interesting essay, exploring scribal practices of transmission and the use of research tools (such as lexica and concordances), interpretive approaches (literal and allegorical), exegetical genres (commentaries, scholia, catenae etc.), handbooks (Junillus' *Instituta Regularia* comes immediately to mind) and more broadly, the transmission of the patristic exegetical tradition. This volume pursues many linkages between the OT and Christianity, and so it perhaps comes as a surprise that we do not find an essay dedicated to Christology – how the OT functioned either intramurally (among Christians) or interreligiously (among Christians, Jews and Muslims) in the central, and often polemical, literature on Jesus. In the end, however, it is hard to argue with the essays that make up this publication. The scholarship is incisive and vivid, it summarizes important trajectories in the field, and repeatedly opens new paths for further research. I enthusiastically recommend this book.

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Mischa MEIER, Anastasios I. Die Entstehung des Byzantinischen Reiches. Stuttgart, Klett-Cotta 2009. 443 p. ISBN 978-3-608-94377-1.

As the corpus of studies on the late Roman world grows, so grows the refinement with which certain periods are examined and the desire to find new angles and approaches. Traditionally, the spotlight has shone on the age of Justinian as a crucial period of activity and a turning point between the classical world and the Byzantine Empire. Recently, however, more attention has been paid to the reign of Anastasius, not only as the precursor to this golden age of Justinian, but also as an important phase in its own right. In his monograph, Meier seeks to position the Anastasian years as the decisive moment in the

transition between the Roman and the Byzantine Empires, and to depict the emperor as successfully juggling relations with the Sasanians in the east and the Ostrogoths in the west; complicated by schisms within the church and a poor economic outlook inherited from his predecessors. Meier, therefore, makes Anastasius' successful consolidation of the eastern Roman Empire (in comparison to the west) a key theme throughout the monograph. Another important theme which colours Meier's picture of the reign is the significance of the year 500 which, it was feared, would bring about the end of the world. Meier is particularly good at imagining what it would be like to live and rule at such a time (chapters I and II) and he explores the apocalyptic visions circulating about the emperor's death (chapters III and VIII).

Meier emphasises in his first chapter the necessity in a biography to set the subject firmly within the wider context, and his weaving of the personality and deeds of the emperor into a grander narrative of late fifth and sixth century history comes across especially clearly in chapter III.4 (the religious controversy), IV.1 (the economy) and V.1 (relations with Persia). His discussion of the theory and practice of the writing of biography is anchored firmly within the context of the history and development of biographies over the last two centuries, and he highlights the options in pursuing either a chronological or thematic approach to writing a life: he generally groups together themes but within a loose chronological framework. There are, of course, difficulties with both options, but there are occasions when the force of the argument is lessened or picture distorted when issues are split between several chapters. This is true of the doctrinal crisis where, since it affects so many aspects of policy over the whole span of the reign, it is natural that it should dominate a number of chapters; yet the arrangement of narrative in, for example, chapter III leaves the characterisation of Pope Gelasius split between the fourth and sixth sections. Descriptions and analyses of other key figures are also divided among various sections: such as Areobindus, whose potential as a serious rival to Anastasius perhaps loses a little force as a result (not withstanding Meier's excellent discussion in chapter VII.3). Similarly, there is no complete section outlining the global range of the imperial building programme: defensive works in the Balkans and the Long Walls appear in chapter IV while improvements to eastern defences are in chapter V, leaving no opportunity for discussion of a cohesive policy.

Meier hopes to appeal to both the academic and amateur audience. The weight of research, detailed analysis and careful footnoting obviously make the monograph particularly suitable for an academic audience. Equally, there is plenty to inform and entertain the interested lay reader: the series of contrasting vignettes from the "barbarian" and "civilised" worlds in chapter one, for example, which conjure up the essence of the year 500 make a good example of this accessibility. The imaginative geographical tour of the sites and processional routes in Constantinople which helps to bring the city to life is another case in point (chapter II.1).

After the first chapter (*Anastasios und Seine Welt*) which, along with some scene-setting, provides an outline of methodology (as discussed above), Meier

uses the second chapter (*Ringens um Stabilität: das Römische Reich im 5. Jahrhundert n. Chr.*) as an entry point to his analysis of the period. He focuses on three major areas to illustrate the background: first, the city of Constantinople, its development as a Christian city and the relationship between patriarch and emperor; second, the contrasting fortunes of the east and west and the reasons why the former was able to survive when the latter succumbed; and third, politics and religion, both how the emperor became increasingly involved in the church affairs while spirituality became a factor of everyday life and imperial power itself was legitimised by the hand of God.

In the long third chapter (*Der Ungeliebte Kaiser (491–498)*), Meier starts by investigating the background and character of the emperor. His discussion of Anastasius' coronation contains a useful survey of Roman accessions stretching back to Tarquinius Superbus before focusing on the relative importance of the army, people, senate and church in the choice of emperor and ceremonial. Meier tries to look beyond the text of Peter the Patrician (the usual source for imperial accessions preserved in Constantine's *de Ceremoniis*) and imagine the actual stage-management of the event, the real role of Ariadne, and what happened to Longinus (Zeno's brother and intended successor). This section leads naturally on to the narrative and discussion of the Isaurian war: Meier highlights the positive propaganda which Anastasius' eventual victory in 498 brought him, particularly as celebrated in the literary sources.

Chapter III.4 forms the first of several sections concerning church affairs and the current doctrinal schisms. Here Meier introduces the problems facing Anastasius (how to maintain unity with the west whilst not alienating the eastern provinces in which lay the political, economic and cultural priorities of the empire, but between which there were, in any case, theological divisions). The political aspect of the doctrinal issues is set alongside the problematic relationship between the emperor and his patriarch, Euphemius, who embodied what would become a significant difficulty for the Byzantine Empire: the relative supremacy of emperor, pope, patriarch of Constantinople and other eastern patriarchs.

Focus turns, in the final two sections, to the western side of this delicate balance as Meier attempts to unravel the tangled relations between Theoderic, Anastasius, Euphemius and Gelasius and to explore the question of the nature of Theoderic's rule in Italy. A flavour of Rome under the Ostrogoths is conveyed through Meier's highlighting of the roles of the senators, Festus and Faustus, while the worsening of relations between the papacy and patriarchate of Constantinople caused by Gelasius is brought out by the detailed character study of this brilliant but uncompromising pope, illustrated by extensive references to the papal correspondence.

The fourth chapter (*Reformen im Innern, Absicherung nach Außen: Die Konsolidierung des Oströmischen Reiches (498–512)*) marks a change in direction to focus on domestic reforms during the middle years of the reign. Meier begins by explaining the necessity for financial reform and introducing the two key hallmarks of Anastasius' administration: first, his appointment of educated and experienced officials over those with the right connections;

second, that contrary to the later claim that the large amount of gold (320,000 pounds) left in the treasury at the end of his reign was due to his "*parca subtilitas*", he managed to fight a costly war against the Persians, implement a building programme which included the improvement of defences, many churches and utilitarian projects, abolish a number of taxes (such as the *chrysargyron*) and remit taxes in provinces suffering damage either from war or natural disasters. Meier seeks to understand the processes of governance and to build up a picture of the men around Anastasius, but beyond studying the careers of a couple of high-profile officials, Polycarp and John the Paphlagonian, the paucity of evidence in the primary sources for the inner-workings of the court makes it difficult for Meier to make headway here (he has more success later in this section with Marinus, and in chapters V.4 and VII.3). For now, he offers a survey of the major reforms: the abolition of the *chrysargyron*, the introduction of the *comes sacri patrimonii*, the coinage reforms, changes to the *adaeratio* and the *coemptio*, the land tax, the Abydus Edict, and measures to regain control of trade routes by the recapture of Iotabe. Although some of this legislation is dealt with fairly succinctly, Meier does show well how these policies complemented each other. His most detailed study, however, is that of the introduction of the *vindices* which is thorough and convincing and not only offers an assessment of the role and effect of the *vindices*, drawing on a wide range of the primary sources and later studies, but also seeks to elucidate the career of Marinus (the instigator of the reform) in the context of Anastasius' court.

After the second and third sections dealing with the Bulgars (a new threat to the empire), the Long Walls (rehearsing the familiar problems of attribution and dating) and building works in the Balkans, Meier returns to domestic policy with a study of the rising phenomenon of faction riots. A characteristically full discussion of the background to this type of civil insurrection is provided, stretching back to the times of Juvenal. Meier explores the economic, political and religious causes, the relationship of the *plebs urbana* and emperor in Constantinople, and how the circus factions came to play such a defining role in this relationship. He provides an exhaustive list of the riots which took place in the major cities during Anastasius' reign, analyses the particular reasons for each, and discusses the emperor's measures to control them.

The fifth chapter (*Die Bewährungsprobe: Krieg gegen die Perser (502–506)*) deals with Anastasius' war with Persia, setting out the general context and the immediate triggers of the conflict before narrating the course of the war. One of the most interesting angles explored is the command structure and how Anastasius' generals behaved after the war. The career and eventual fate of the emperor's nephew who was the natural successor to the throne is obviously of interest. Even more so are the fortunes of the well-connected, wealthy and pro-Chalcedonian Areobindus who might well have been a threat to the emperor, especially at times of weakness such as the 512 riot. Prominence in this discussion is given to the powerful Anicia Juliana whose building of St Polyeuktos would later challenge the dominance of Justinian. The roles of Celer and Patricius, particularly with respect to their religious affiliations, are

also explored. The discussion of these generals, I think, really underlines the political skill with which the elderly emperor, lacking in military experience and adhering to an unpopular religious view, nevertheless held onto power and was even able to neutralise a serious attempt to remove him from the throne (the revolt of Vitalian) when there were a number of serious possible contenders. Meier might have brought out this point more, but his picture of how Anastasius' generals functioned in state and religious politics certainly helps to open a window onto the inner workings of late antique governance.

In the sixth chapter (*Ein Blick nach Westen (504–514)*), Meier turns back to the west, using the eventful year of 508 as a focal point to illustrate the various interlocking strands of military, political and religious policy pursued by Anastasius and Theoderic. The latter could not hope to threaten Constantinople but was keen for expansion in the west, trying to secure alliances with the Franks, Burgundians and Visigoths, and stamp his authority on the Balkans, while Anastasius could not hope to wrest Italy from the Ostrogoths but equally wished to dampen Theoderic's imperialist tendencies: hence his own attempts to woo the loyalty of the Franks and Burgundians. Religion, too, played a role here, with Anastasius, perhaps for once in matters of doctrine, holding the more attractive option for his orthodox allies than the Arian Goths. Meier's close analysis of the correspondence and language employed in the letters exchanged between the leading players helps to bring out the issues in this game of international political manoeuvring, and emphasises the importance of success. The second part of this chapter picks up from Chapter III.4 following the role of the popes in defining the relationship between Ostrogothic Italy and the eastern Roman Empire, significantly affected by the short reign of the conciliatory Anastasius II and ousting of Laurentius in favour of Symmachus, and his successor Hormisdas, who held the view that the primacy of Rome had been threatened by the *Henoticon* (the formulation of church policy by an emperor and a Constantinopolitan patriarch). This effectively meant the continuation of the Acacian schism which added to the difficult political relations between east and west and placed the senate in a difficult position.

Meier continues his study of religious politics in the seventh chapter (*Die Eskalation der Religiösen Konflikte (506–512)*), switching emphasis back to the east and introducing the influential miaphysites, Philoxenus and Severus. Rightly, emphasis is laid on the situation in Constantinople and the eastern empire in ca. 500 and the extent to which Anastasius was constrained by political realities. Meier's attention to the 512 riot, including his very detailed analysis of the primary source material which enables him to compile a day by day narrative of the riot, perhaps leads to an imbalance in his final assessment of Anastasius' handling of the religious crisis, giving a picture of an emperor struggling to maintain order in his own capital, surrounded by several potential successors. This image undermines his undoubted strength in forcing the deposition of four patriarchs (and two of them in the pro-Chalcedonian capital), the appointment of the extreme Severus to the patriarchate of Antioch, the formulation of his own *Typos* and so on.

What is impressive here is Meier's ability to stitch together a picture of the inner workings of court politics. He starts from the roles of individuals (such as Areobindus, Plato and Marinus) in the deposition of Macedonius, the 512 riot and the revolt of Vitalian, explores the similarities and differences between this civil conflict and that involving the Isaurians (where the unpopular Longinus was the alternative candidate for the throne), and alludes to the consequences (especially for the religious crisis) of the Persian war. Above all, he emphasises the significant role of Marinus, the architect of the *vindices* scheme: if this was behind Anastasius' notoriously successful financial management of fiscal policy, then this placed Marinus, potentially, in a very powerful position.

The last chapter (*Die letzten Jahre (512–518)*), before the concluding verdict on Anastasius, focuses on his final years and is necessarily dominated again by consideration of church affairs: the continued ebbing and flowing of the fortunes of the miaphysites and Chalcedonians, the revolt of Vitalian and the ongoing bargaining with the pope until the break with Rome in 517. After 515, which saw the death of the empress, Meier paints the final three years of Anastasius' reign as somewhat unsuccessful with incursions of the Sabir Huns and the Bulgars, and the realisation that the Acacian schism with Rome could not be healed while doctrinal unrest continued in the eastern provinces kept alive, as it was, by the rioting of zealous and violent monks. With the apocalyptic stories about his death, uncertainty over the succession, and the impending change of regime which would bring fresh initiatives as well as a reconciliation with Rome, Meier slightly gives the impression of an elderly emperor winding down: the usual pattern of most governments whose most innovative policies are achieved early on in a term of office. But we need not be so harsh on Anastasius as to attribute incompetence or failure in his last years: at the very least, he masterminded a successful military response to Vitalian's attack on his capital and maintained a spirited correspondence with the pope, achievements which might have been brought out more clearly by Meier.

The epilogue, however, is the place for Meier's final assessment of the reign of Anastasius, and not just of the emperor himself whom he praises for the financial stability he brought to the empire and his pragmatic religious policy, but also of the period itself, the transformation of *Imperium Romanum*. Of the three phases identified by Meier (largely defined by the chronological boundaries of the late 5th/early 6th centuries, greater part of the 6th century, and the 7th century), Anastasius' reign falls into the first, a period of continuity and consolidation before the reforms of Justinian brought change and transformation. In this judgement, I see a refinement (for the better) of Meier's earlier argument suggesting that the decisive moment of change from the classical to the Byzantine world fell within the Anastasian years.

Despite minor concerns about the ordering of some of the material and the small quibbles of interpretation I have raised, this is a monograph which adds significantly to our appreciation of Anastasius, an emperor who has remained

in the shadow of Justinian until quite recently, and to our understanding of this period of late antique history.

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Judith R. RYDER, *The Career and Writings of Demetrius Kydones. A Study of Fourteenth-Century Byzantine Politics, Religion and Society. The Medieval Mediterranean. Peoples, Economies and Cultures, 400–1500*, 85. Leiden/Boston, Brill 2010. XV, 295 S. ISBN 978-90-04-18565-4.

Dieses Buch ist die Druckfassung einer an der Universität Oxford unter Anleitung von Elizabeth Jeffreys entstandenen Dissertation. Wie bereits der Titel andeutet, will die Verfasserin (R.) nicht einfach den bestehenden kürzeren Biographien¹¹ des bedeutenden späbyzantinischen Staatsmannes und Literaten Demetrios Kydones (ca. 1324–1397¹²) eine ausführlichere hinzufügen, sondern es geht ihr darum, ihn als Politiker und Theologen vor dem Hintergrund der byzantinischen Gesellschaft seiner Zeit darzustellen, und sie beschränkt sich auf den ersten Teil seiner Karriere in den Jahren 1347–1373, die Phase seines Lebens, in der er in zweifacher Hinsicht den lateinischen Westen entdeckte: Er erkannte in der Scholastik das Muster einer klaren Methode philosophisch-theologischen Denkens und erhoffte sich von den christlichen Glaubenspartnern im Westen auch Hilfe gegen die politisch-militärische Bedrohung von Byzanz durch türkische Ethnien in Kleinasien, vor allem die Osmanen, die seit 1352 auch begannen, das europäische Territorium des Reiches zu erobern. Der Verwirklichung dieses Zieles glaubte sich Kydones nah, als er mit Kaiser Johannes V. Palaiologos im Herbst 1369 nach Rom reiste, wo dieser die Konversion zur römischen Kirche vollzog. Dieser Schritt fand in Byzanz, vor allem bei der orthodoxen Kirchenleitung, keine Zustimmung. Da

¹¹ Die erste (nur bis 1375) ist verfasst von R.-J. LOENERTZ, *Démétrius Cydonès. I. De la naissance à l'année 1373. Orientalia Christiana Periodica (OCP)* 36 (1970) 47–72. II. De 1373 à 1375. *OCP* 37 (1971) 5–18. Einen Überblick über das gesamte Leben des Kydones gibt F. TINNEFELD, *Demetrios Kydones, Briefe, übersetzt und erläutert*, Bd. I/1. *BGL*, 12. Stuttgart 1981, 4–62. Eine Kurzbiographie in russischer Sprache verfasste M. A. POLJAKOVSKAJA, *Portrety vizantijskich intellektualov, tri očerka* (Porträts byzantinischer Intellektueller, drei Skizzen). *Vizantijskaja biblioteka. Issledovanija*. ²Sankt-Petersburg 1998, 19–151.

¹² R. gibt noch, im Einklang mit der traditionellen Datierung, als Todesjahr “c. 1397” an (XIII). Doch ist das “c.” zu tilgen, weil die Datierung auf Ende 1397 inzwischen gesichert ist durch Th. GANCHOU, *Dèmètrios Kydônès, les frères Chrysoberghès et la Crète (1397–1407) de nouveaux documents*, in: Ch. A. MALTEZOU/P. SCHREINER (Hrsg.), *Bisanzio, Venezia e il mondo franco-greco. Atti del Colloquio Internazionale organizzato nel centenario della nascita di R.-J. Loenertz O. P. (Venezia, 1–2 dicembre 2000)*. *Istituto Ellenico di Studi Bizantini e Postbizantini di Venezia/Centro Tedesco di Studi Veneziani, Convegno*, 5. Venezia 2002, 435–493.

zudem die erhoffte abendländische Hilfe gegen die Türken ausblieb, fiel Kydones beim Kaiser in Ungnade, und seiner Bitte um Entlassung aus dem Staatsdienst¹³ wurde, wenigstens vorübergehend, stattgegeben.¹⁴

Das Buch ist in drei Sektionen eingeteilt. Die erste ist dem byzantinischen und dem westlichen "intellectual background" des Kydones gewidmet, die zweite seinen politischen und religiösen Überzeugungen, wie er sie selbst in seinen Werken mitteilt; die dritte analysiert Leben und Werk des Kydones im gesellschaftlichen Kontext seiner Zeit.

Section 1, chapter 1 (Demetrius' Intellectual Background, 3–37) beginnt mit dem intellektuellen Klima, das seine Jugendjahre als "primary context" in der Heimatstadt Thessalonike prägte. R. skizziert die Stadt als blühendes Kulturzentrum im Rahmen der sog. palaiologischen Renaissance. Unter denen, die damals das geistige Klima der Stadt prägten, nennt sie die Personen, mit denen Kydones nachweislich in Kontakt stand, und einige andere Zeitgenossen, die ihn vermutlich beeinflussten. Sie vergisst auch nicht die Bibel und die antiken und patristischen Autoren des byzantinischen Bildungskanons, von dessen Spuren seine Schriften geprägt sind. Noch nicht lange hatte Kydones bereits in jungen Jahren (1347) eine verantwortliche Position in Konstantinopel am Hof von Kaiser Johannes VI. Kantakuzenos erhalten, da gewann auch die abendländisch-lateinische Scholastik als "secondary context" Einfluss auf seine geistige Entwicklung. Er begann mit dem Studium des Lateinischen, weil am Hof des Kaisers wegen zahlreicher diplomatischer Kontakte zum Abendland Kenntnisse in der Sprache des Westens dringend benötigt wurden. Sein Lehrer war ein Dominikaner in der genuesischen Kolonie Pera bei Konstantinopel, der ihm ein wichtiges apologetisches Werk des Thomas von Aquin als Übungslektüre zur Verfügung stellte. In der Folgezeit wurde er als Übersetzer der Hauptwerke dieses bedeutenden Theologen und anderer scholastischer Texte immer mehr mit dieser ihn faszinierenden Denkmethode vertraut.

Section 2 (Ideas and Preoccupations, 41–128) stellt Kydones als denkende und agierende Person in seiner Zeit vor. Eingangs (Introduction, 42–48) nennt R. die zu diesem Zweck verwendeten Quellen, ausschließlich schriftliche Äußerungen des Kydones, die sehr wahrscheinlich nicht später als 1373 verfasst sind. Es sind ca. 120 seiner 450 Briefe, sechs Reden, vier Apologien (Schriften zur Verteidigung des eigenen Denkens und Handelns),¹⁵ der philosophische

¹³ Die an Kaiser Johannes V. gerichtete Rede, in der Kydones um Entlassung nachsuchte (zitiert von R., 150–152), wurde ediert von R.-J. LOENERTZ, *Démétrius Cydonès, Correspondance*, I, *Studi e testi* 186. Città del Vaticano 1956, 10–23 und von ihm resümiert in *OCP* 37 (1971) 19–23. Sie liegt nun in deutscher Übersetzung vor in: F. TINNEFELD, *Die Briefe des Demetrios Kydones. Themen und literarische Form. Mainzer Veröffentlichungen zur Byzantinistik*, 11. Wiesbaden 2010, Anhang II, 265–287.

¹⁴ Dies lässt sich aus einigen Briefen des Kydones entnehmen. Siehe TINNEFELD, *Demetrios Kydones, Briefe*, Bd. I/1. *BGL* 12. Stuttgart 1981, 26 f. Allerdings konnte der Kaiser auf längere Sicht nicht auf seine Mitarbeit verzichten (ebd. 30 f.).

¹⁵ Bemerkung zu R., 44 f.: Die traditionelle Datierung der Apologie I auf ca. 1363, von der R. ausgeht und aus der sie im weiteren Verlauf ihres Buches Schlüsse zieht (s. u.),

Traktat “De contemnenda morte” und vier Prooimien zu Urkunden Kaiser Johannes’ V.¹⁶ Auch den Traktat zur Verteidigung des Thomas von Aquin gegen Neilos Kabasilas nennt R. in diesem Zusammenhang, kann ihn aber, da er noch nicht ediert ist,¹⁷ nicht weiter auswerten.

Nach der Vorstellung der Quellen folgt in section 2 die Auswertung unter den beiden Aspekten “The Political Sphere” (chapter 2) und “The Religious Sphere” (chapter 3). In chapter 2 (49–81) behandelt R. zuerst im innenpolitischen Rahmen das Amtsverständnis des Staatsmannes Kydones und seine Beziehung zu kaiserlichen Persönlichkeiten, dann im außenpolitischen Bereich (vornehmlich unter Verwendung seiner Rede *Pro subsidio Latinorum*) seine negative Sicht der Türken, die den Bestand des Reiches bedrohten, und seine Einschätzung der Bulgaren und Serben als ungeeignete Bundesgenossen im Kampf gegen die türkische Bedrohung. Negativ beurteilt er auch den Versuch Kaiser Johannes’ V., die Ungarn als Bundesgenossen zu gewinnen, und noch weniger hält er die Mongolen dazu für geeignet. So bleiben als empfehlenswert nur die Lateiner übrig.

Das wesentlich umfangreichere chapter 3 (83–128) ist den religiösen Überzeugungen des Kydones gewidmet. Eingangs warnt R. davor, diese auf den einfachen Nenner zu bringen, er sei ein Antipalamit und ein Prolateiner gewesen, denn dies sei mit dem komplexen Charakter der religiösen Debatten im 14. Jh. nicht zu vereinbaren. Das Kapitel beginnt (83–103) mit Überlegungen zu den Grundlagen, auf denen die Theologie des Kydones beruhte. Gegen Ende der Apologie I definiert er, was einen Christen auszeichne; es sei der rechte und feste Glaube (ἀκριβής καὶ βέβαια πίστις) an Gott sowie ein Leben nach seinen Geboten. Glaube und Leben sollten sich gegenseitig harmonisch ergänzen, aber der Glaube, der sich an der göttlichen Offenbarung in der Heiligen Schrift, bei den Kirchenvätern und auf den Konzilien orientiere, sei den guten Werken und auch der natürlichen Vernunft überlegen. Das bedeutet aus der Sicht des Kydones aber nicht, dass die Vernunft überflüssig sei; sie könne z. B. dabei helfen, falsche Argumente gegen den rechten Glauben zu entkräften. Zum Verständnis seiner Denkmethode ist die Einsicht wichtig, dass er dem Text der Heiligen Schrift und den notwendigen Folgerungen, die sich aus diesem ergeben, gleichen Rang der Unfehlbarkeit zubilligt.

R. beendet chapter 3 mit Ausführungen zu “Specific Issues” (103–128). Am Anfang steht ein Vergleich zwischen den Kirchen von Rom und Konstantinopel in der Apologie I, der erwartungsgemäß zugunsten der römischen Kirche ausfällt. Es folgen Ausführungen zur Verteidigung des *Filioque* (Ausgang des

stellte N. Oikonomides in Frage und plädierte für 1373 als wahrscheinlichere Abfassungszeit. Näheres dazu in: E. VOORDECKERS/F. TINNEFELD (Hrsg.), *Iohannis Cantacuzeni Refutationes duae Prochori Cydonii et Disputatio cum Paulo patriarcha Latino epistulis septem tradita*. CCSG, 16. Turnhout/Leuven 1987, LXXI, Anm. 110.

¹⁶ Bemerkung zu R., 46, Anm. 36, und 274: Dem von mir edierten Text der vier Prooimien des Kydones zu Kaiserurkunden (*Byzantinoslavica* 44, 1983, 13–30, 178–195) sind keine Übersetzungen, wie R. annimmt, sondern nur Paraphrasen beigelegt.

¹⁷ Eine kritische Edition von D. SEARBY, Stockholm, ist in Vorbereitung.

HI. Geistes auch vom Sohn gemäß der römischen Lehre) in den Apologien I–III und zur Widerlegung der palamitischen Theologie in Apologie III und IV. Ausführliche Kritik am Palamismus enthält auch der von R. nicht erwähnte Brief des Kydones an einen anonymen Freund, der ihm zum frühen Tod seines 1368 von Patriarch Philotheos und der ständigen Synode der orthodoxen Kirche verurteilten Bruders Prochoros kondoliert hatte.¹⁸

In section 3 (Historical Context and Implications), chapter 4 (133–168), untersucht R. zunächst die Verbreitung der Gedanken des Kydones in der byzantinischen Öffentlichkeit und beginnt (4.1.1) mit der Frage, was sich darüber aus der umfangreichen handschriftlichen Überlieferung seiner Werke entnehmen lasse. Sie kommt zu dem Ergebnis, dass sich aus der Überlieferung über die Verbreitung seiner Briefe wenig ergebe, denn sie verdankten, wie schon R.-J. Loenertz festgestellt habe, ihre Aufbewahrung vornehmlich dem persönlichen Interesse ihres Verfassers (133). Doch ist hier daran zu erinnern, dass Kaiser Manuel Briefe des Kydones sammelte und sie in ein Kopialbuch eintragen ließ.¹⁹ Was aber die sechs Reden betrifft, deren fünf wichtigste Handschriften (Laurent. 59,24; Paris. gr. 1213; Coislin. gr. 315; Burneyan. 75 und Vat. gr. 486) nicht früher als auf die 90er Jahre des 14. Jh. datierbar sind, so sei nach Ansicht von R. kaum eine editorische Tätigkeit des Verfassers anzunehmen, denn weder zeige auch nur eine von ihnen autographe Elemente, noch seien sie als fest umrissenes Corpus überliefert. Da aber die hier tradierten Originalreden wesentlich früher gehalten als die genannten Handschriften geschrieben worden seien, seien sie sehr wahrscheinlich schon vor diesen erhaltenen Abschriften in heute nicht mehr erhaltenen Kopien tradiert worden. Die Apologien I–III hingegen seien nur autograph überliefert, was gegen ihre Zirkulation in der Öffentlichkeit spreche; allein Apologie IV sei in Vat. gr. 678 nicht autograph und zusammen mit Texten überliefert, die gegen Patriarch Philotheos gerichtet und offenbar durch mehrere Hände gegangen seien (135).

Auf der Suche nach “Further Evidence of Circulation” (4.1.2, 136–148) empfiehlt R. zunächst, den Inhalt der Briefe auf seine Bedeutung für die Vermutung ihrer Verbreitung in der Öffentlichkeit zu befragen. Dann gibt sie einen Überblick über die Gruppen von Personen, mit denen Kydones korrespondierte, um damit die Mindestreichweite (minimum range) seiner Korrespondenz zu sichern. In diesem Zusammenhang stellt sie fest, es sei ein wesentlich größerer Wirkungskreis seiner Briefe als der direkt nachweisbare anzunehmen. Diese Beobachtung bezieht sich vor allem auf den Brauch der Byzantiner, private Briefe vor einem kleineren oder größeren Kreis von Interessierten (θεῶται) vorzulesen und zu diskutieren. Außerdem nennt sie aber auch nicht institutionalisierte Formen von “letter sharing”, wie z.B. die eina-

¹⁸ Edition: G. MERCATI, *Notizie di Procoro e Demetrio Cidone etc. Studi e testi*, 56. Città del Vaticano 1931, 346–355. Incipit: Πολλὰ ἀγαθὰ σοι γένοιτο. Übersetzung und Kommentar: TINNEFELD, *Demetrios Kydones, Briefe*, Bd. I/2. *BGL*, 16. Stuttgart 1982, 446–469 (Nr. 81 nach meiner Zählung). Dieser Brief bleibt bei R. auch unerwähnt in Abschnitt 6.1.3, 232–239, “Philotheos and Demetrius in the Late 1360s”.

¹⁹ TINNEFELD, *Demetrios Kydones* (wie oben Fußnote 13) 222, aber auch R. selbst, 141.

che Weitergabe von Briefen an interessierte Freunde. Auch Briefe, die in die falschen Hände fielen, sind eine, wenn auch vom Autor nicht intendierte, Form der Zirkulation. Dies war besonders brisant, wenn es sich um delikate persönliche Angelegenheiten handelte, die der Autor nicht der Öffentlichkeit preisgeben wollte, eine Form der “leakage” (139) of personal informations (unerwünschtes Bekanntwerden von persönlichen Informationen), die in der elektronisch vernetzten Welt der Gegenwart heiß diskutiert wird. R. muss allerdings feststellen, dass Kydones einen Missbrauch persönlicher Inhalte seiner Briefe nirgends tadelt. Er tadelt aber wohl in Brief Nr. 384 (Loenertz) einen Freund, dass er seine Schrift über die Verkündigung an Maria, die er ihm ausdrücklich nur zur privaten Kenntnisnahme geschickt habe, einem Kreis von Interessenten, wenn auch wohlmeinend, vorgestellt habe (143).²⁰ Der persönliche Schaden, den Kydones in diesem Fall befürchtet, erklärt sich aus der vorwiegend negativen Einschätzung seiner eigenen Werke, die man zwar auch, aber nicht nur als rhetorischen Bescheidenheitstopos erklären kann. Im übrigen gibt Kydones mehrfach zu verstehen, dass er seine von der offiziellen Linie abweichenden theologischen Überzeugungen durchwegs offen diskutiert habe. Die bereits erwähnten provokativen Schriften gegen Patriarch Philotheos hatten zweifellos öffentlichen Charakter und sollten ein breiteres Publikum erreichen. Jedenfalls wurde die hier geäußerte Kritik Bestandteil öffentlicher Diskussion.

Nach diesen bemerkenswerten allgemeinen Beobachtungen über Kydones zur Verfügung stehende Möglichkeiten, seine Überzeugungen öffentlich zu verbreiten, behandelt R. in den folgenden Abschnitten dieses Thema mit speziellem Bezug auf politische (4.2) und religiöse Themen (4.3) sowie auf alltägliche Beziehungen zu seinen Zeitgenossen (4.4). Der Abschnitt “Political themes” beginnt mit dem öffentlichen Charakter seiner Beziehungen zu seinen kaiserlichen Patronen (4.2.1), und es folgt ausführlicher die bereits in Abschnitt 2.2 besprochene Außenpolitik (4.2.2). Der Abschnitt “Religious themes” (4.3) behandelt den öffentlichen Charakter seiner positiven Sicht der lateinischen Theologie, des Papsttums und des Filioque sowie seiner negativen Einstellung zum Palamismus und Hesychasmus. Bei dem letzteren Thema verdient die Beobachtung Interesse, dass Kydones erst seit dem kirchlichen Prozess gegen seinen Bruder Prochoros (1368) seine Kritik am Palamismus offen aussprach, obwohl er sicher schon viel früher die Energienlehre der Palamiten ablehnte (163–165). Hier ist also deutlich zwischen seiner anfänglich nur privaten und erst später öffentlichen Ablehnung zu unterscheiden. Im Abschnitt “Normative relations” (4.4) versucht R. zu zeigen, dass Kydones auch zu erklärten Gegnern wie Patriarch Philothos über längere Zeit „normale“, der Norm entsprechende, Beziehungen unterhielt und keineswegs in ständigem Konflikt mit ihnen lag.

Chapter 5 (169–220) behandelt das Thema “Contextualising Demetrius’ Pro-western Approach”. Hier stellt sie die Annäherung des Kydones an den

²⁰ R., 143. Vgl. TINNEFELD, Demetrios Kydones, Briefe, Bd. IV. *BGL*, 60. Stuttgart 2003, 169–170.

lateinischen Westen in den Kontext des Versuchs von Kaiser Michael VIII., auf dem Konzil von Lyon 1274 durch seine Gesandten eine "Union" durchzusetzen, die in allen wichtigen Punkten nichts anderes als eine Konversion war. Noch weiter ging Johannes V., der 1369 in Rom auch formal eine uneingeschränkte Konversion zur Papstkirche vollzog. In beiden Fällen bestand ein politischer Grund für die Annäherung an den lateinischen Westen: die Gefährdung des byzantinischen Reiches durch auswärtige Mächte. Im Jahr 1274 war die Politik des Kaisers, eine Annexion von Byzanz durch Karl von Anjou zu verhindern, erfolgreich; der Franzose musste päpstlichem Druck nachgeben und seinen Anspruch auf das lateinische Kaisertum von Konstantinopel zurückziehen. 1369 erhoffte sich der byzantinische Kaiser von einer Konversion vergeblich Hilfe gegen die türkische Bedrohung. R. untersucht nun zunächst die allgemeinen Beziehungen zwischen Byzanz und dem Papsttum bzw. den Lateinern in den Jahren 1324 bis 1370 (5.1, 171–184). Andronikos II. (1282–1328) nahm 1324–27 die seit längerer Zeit unterbrochenen Kontakte mit dem Papsttum wieder auf (172), und nicht nur sein Enkel Andronikos III. (1333/34; 1337–39 auch Verhandlungen über die Einberufung eines Unionskonzils), sondern auch dessen Vertrauter Johannes Kantakuzenos, der nach seinem frühem Tod 1341 seinen Anspruch auf den byzantinischen Kaiserthron gegen den minderjährigen Kaisersohn Johannes durchsetzte, führte die freundlichen Beziehungen zum Papsttum und die Gespräche über ein Konzil weiter. Johannes V., 1354 an die Macht gelangt, verhandelte seit 1355 mit Papst Innozenz VI. In einem Chrysobull vom 15. Dezember des Jahres zeigte er sich bereit, dem Papst weitgehend entgegenzukommen. Von einem Konzil war aber hier nicht mehr die Rede. Papst Innozenz antwortete im Juli 1356 wohlwollend, bedauerte aber im August in einem Schreiben an Patriarch Kallistos, von ihm keine zustimmende Äußerung zum kaiserlichen Brief erhalten zu haben, und empfahl ihm die freundliche Aufnahme seiner Gesandtschaft. Die Beziehungen zwischen Johannes V. und Papst Innozenz VI. gestalteten sich weiter friedlich, zumal der Kaiser sogar bereit erschien, erste Schritte auf einem Weg zur Konversion zu tun. Wahrscheinlich als Belohnung für dieses romfreundliche Verhalten war ein vom päpstlichen Legaten Petrus Thomas geleitetes Militärunternehmen gegen das von Türken besetzte Lampsakos am Ostufer des Hellesponts zu verstehen (182). Die Kontakte des Kaisers zum Papsttum wurden durch den Tod von Papst Innozenz (1362) unterbrochen, und es dauerte einige Zeit, bis sein Nachfolger Urban V. zum freundlichen Ton seines Vorgängers zurückgefunden hatte. Erst ab 1365 gestalteten sich die Beziehungen Kaiser Johannes' V. zum Westen wieder intensiver und gipfelten 1366 in dem erfolgreichen Versuch des "grünen Grafen" Amedeo²¹ VI. von Savoyen, die 1354 von den Osmanen eroberte Stadt Kallipolis für Byzanz zurückzuge-

²¹ Die italienische Form des Namens Amadeus ist "Amedeo", nicht "Amadeo", wie R. durchweg schreibt. Doch sie verwendet damit die Schreibung, die sich weitgehend durchgesetzt hat. Man findet sie sogar im *Oxford Dictionary of Byzantium* (72). Besagter Amedeo war ein Verwandter der Savoyardin Anna, der Mutter Kaiser Johannes' V.

winnen. Ein zweiter Höhepunkt der kaiserlichen Westkontakte war die schon erwähnte Konversion des Kaisers in Rom 1369.²²

Nun geht R. zu der Frage über, welche Rolle Kydones vor diesem Zeit-hintergrund spielte (5.2, 184–205). Es ist bekannt, dass Kaiser Johannes VI. Kantakuzenos mit seiner Familie befreundet war. Durch diesen Kontakt stand Kydones seit jungen Jahren in Verbindung mit den leitenden Kreisen der Orthodoxie. Als junger Mann im Dienst dieses Kaisers hatte er nach eigenem Bekunden Kontakte mit Gesandten aus dem Westen, unter denen sicher auch einige vom Papst kamen. R. ist zudem überzeugt, dass Kantakuzenos die Übersetzungstätigkeit des Kydones im Bereich der lateinischen Theologie nicht nur wohlwollend aufnahm, sondern sogar förderte. Interessiert an Gesprächen mit Vertretern der römischen Kirche, habe er auch gewünscht, ihre bedeutenden Theologen näher kennen zu lernen, ohne deswegen auch schon ein Anhänger dieser Kirche zu sein. Nicht weniger wichtig war die Vertrautheit des Kydones mit der Theologie der Lateiner auch für Johannes V., der ja, wie R. zeigt, auf Kontakte mit dem Papst aus dem genannten Grund größten Wert legte. So erklärt sich die Rückberufung des Kydones in den kaiserlichen Dienst einige Zeit nach der Abdankung des Kantakuzenos mit dem andauernden Interesse Johannes' V. an guten Kontakten zum Westen und zur römischen Kirche. R. diskutiert auch die Frage, ob Kydones eine Konversion zur römischen Kirche vollzog. Sie bejaht die Konversion, betont aber, dass es sich in diesem Fall nicht zugleich auch um eine Abwendung von der Orthodoxie handelte. Kydones habe vielmehr aus der Überzeugung gehandelt, „that both east and west should be part of one church, and that their intrinsic theologies coincided“. In den Augen Johannes' V. aber sei es ein Glücksfall gewesen, einen orthodoxen, aber lateinerfreundlichen Staatsmann zu haben, der seiner prowestlichen Politik nützlich war. R. hält es sogar für möglich, dass Kydones sich in der Öffentlichkeit auch deshalb deutlich zu seiner „westlichen“ Gesinnung bekannte, um dem Kaiser zu gefallen, dessen Mutter Anna von Savoyen ja eine Lateinerin war und seine freundlichen Beziehungen zum Papsttum nur positiv sehen konnte. Die Konversion des Kydones war jedenfalls aus der Sicht des Kaisers, zumindest vor seiner Romreise, eher ein Aktivposten als eine unleidliche Zugabe. Die Schriften des Kydones spielten in den 60er Jahren in dieser Hinsicht eine propagandistische Rolle. So gibt Brief 93 (Loenertz), geschrieben im Sommer 1364 an Simon Atumanos, Auskunft über die freundlichen Kontakte Johannes' V. – unter dem Einfluss des Kydones – zu Papst Urban V., und Kydones stellt bedauernd fest, er beginne wie das Volk von Byzanz an der Zuverlässigkeit des Westens zu verzweifeln, enttäuscht, dass ein Kreuzzug großen Stils bislang nicht verwirklicht wurde. Gemäß R. will Kydones damit sagen, der Westen habe Byzanz Grund zur Hoffnung gegeben; nun müsse er auch diese Hoffnung einlösen. Auch Apologie I (in der von R. angenommenen traditionellen Datierung auf ca. 1363) ist nach Ansicht von R.

²² Die Konversion des Kaisers, keineswegs ein unwichtiger Vorgang auch im Leben des Kydones, wird von R. in diesem Abschnitt (183 f.), aber auch schon vorher (169) nur sehr kurz gestreift; sie hätte eine ausführlichere Behandlung verdient.

weit mehr ein Instrument politischer Propaganda als ein autobiographisches und persönliches Dokument. Hier begründe Kydones seine Loyalität gegenüber dem Vaterland (πατρίς) Byzanz und seine Legitimierung, für die Kirche Christi zu sprechen. Daher sei diese Apologie nicht nur ein Versuch des Kydones, gewisse religiöse und intellektuelle Glaubensinhalte, die er vertrat, zu rechtfertigen und zu propagieren, sondern auch zu zeigen, dass man theologische Überzeugungen der römischen Kirche vertreten und dennoch ein loyaler Byzantiner sein könne.

R. beendet chapter 5 mit Überlegungen zur credibility (Glaubwürdigkeit oder besser Akzeptanz der prowestlichen Propaganda im Osten; 5.3, 205–220). Sie versucht zu zeigen, dass Griechen und Lateiner, im östlichen Mittelmeer geographisch eng miteinander verbunden, seit den 50er Jahren des 14. Jahrhunderts einander auch als Christen näher kamen. Dies habe jedenfalls im Jahr 1359 der römische Inquisitor in der Romania²³ Philipp de Bindo Incontri beobachtet, und es müsse in enger Verbindung mit dem Fortschritt der Verhandlungen zwischen Byzanz und dem Papsttum gesehen werden. Die besagte Annäherung gelte nicht nur für eine intellektuelle Elite, sondern auch für weite Kreise der Bevölkerung, die mehr und mehr eingesehen habe, dass die Zeitumstände, vor allem die türkische Bedrohung, ein Zusammenwirken von Byzantinern und Abendländern erforderten. In diesem Kontext sei die prowestliche Gesinnung des Kydones keineswegs eine erhebliche Abweichung von der für weite Kreise geltenden Norm gewesen.

In chapter 6 (221–264) warnt R. im Zusammenhang mit ihrer soeben beschriebenen Sicht der Beziehungen zwischen Byzanz und Rom davor, die Situation in Byzanz während der 1350er und 1360er Jahre nur aus der Sicht einer mehrheitlich vertretenen orthodoxen Einstellung zu verstehen und andere Strömungen als unerheblich zu marginalisieren. Es habe vielmehr eine ganze Reihe ideologischer und praktischer Reaktionen auf die beschriebene Situation gegeben, und die Orthodoxie dieser Zeitphase sei keineswegs eine klar abgegrenzte religiöse Einstellung ohne Abweichungen und Widersprüche gewesen. So sei es beispielsweise ein Faktum, dass der als entschiedener Antilateiner geltende Patriarch Philotheos doch auch ein gemeinsames Konzil der Ost- und Westkirche befürwortet habe. Es habe also keine konsequent orthodox geführte antiwestliche Mehrheit in Byzanz gegeben, sondern die politische und kulturelle Fragmentierung der Region habe auch Varianten und Nuancen des orthodoxen Selbstverständnisses zur Folge gehabt.

Vor allem in der soeben beschriebenen dritten und zugleich wichtigsten section 3 versucht R. also, dem vorliegenden Material zu einer Biographie des Kydones eine zeithistorische Dimension zu geben, und überschreitet damit die Grenzen eines eng gefassten Begriffsfeldes Biographie. Es geht ihr zwar auch darum, den Lebenslauf, die Person und das Werk des Kydones darzustellen, aber wichtiger ist ihr die Einordnung seiner Person und seiner Schriften in

²³ *Romania* nannte sich das Lateinische Kaiserreich von Konstantinopel. Der Begriff wurde auch nach dem Ende dieses Reiches (1261) zur Bezeichnung des byzantinischen Reichsgebietes aus westlich-lateinischer Sicht verwendet.

ihren zeitgeschichtlichen Kontext. Das von ihr gewählte Gliederungsschema zwingt sie hier und da zu Wiederholungen. Sie macht es auch ihren Lesern nicht immer leicht, ihrer Argumentation zu folgen, vor allem in chapter 5 (zur Frage nach der westlichen Orientierung des Kydones), aber stärker wiegt das Positive, ihr schöpferischer Beitrag zu einer Deutung dieses prowestlichen Staatsmannes vor dem Hintergrund seiner Zeit.

Abschließend noch einige Details. In der Liste der zitierten primary texts (270–274) nennt R. bei den Werken und Übersetzungen des Kydones und anderer auch, wenn bereits vorhanden, die Edition des griechischen Textes. Ein solche wäre aber noch an folgenden Stellen nachzutragen: 1) Pseudo-Augustinian texts, *Soliloquia sive Monologia* (271).²⁴ 2) Aus Gui, Bernard, *Vita s. Thomae Aquinatis* (272) die Liste der Werke des Aquinaten in Kapitel 53 und 54.²⁵ 3) Pseudo-Augustinian texts, *De Fide ad Petrum* (Fulgentius of Ruspe).²⁶ 4) In der Liste der primary texts fehlt das von Kydones verfasste Werk *De patrum Latinorum auctoritate ad amicum quendam*, das R. an anderer Stelle erwähnt (33, Anm. 169) unter Verweis auf Tinnefeld, Kydones, Briefe, I/1, 1981, 63, 1.1.4. Damals war das Opusculum noch unediert, jetzt liegt eine Edition vor.²⁷ Zu einigen kleineren Versehen siehe Fußnote.²⁸

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²⁴ A. KOLTSIU-NIKETA (Hrsg.), Δημητρίου Κυδώνη μετάφραση τοῦ ψευδοαυγουστίνειου "Soliloquia". *Philosophi Byzantini*, 11. Athen 2005. Vgl. dazu J. A. DEMETRACOPOULOS, The Sitz im Leben of Demetrios Kydones' Translation of pseudo-Augustine's *Soliloquia*. Remarks on a Recent Edition. *Quaestio* 6 (2006) 191–258.

²⁵ J. A. DEMETRACOPOULOS, Demetrius Cydones' Translation of Bernardus Guidonis' List of Thomas Aquinas' Writings and the Historical Roots of Byzantine Thomism, in: A. SPEER/D. WIRMER (Hrsg.), 1308. Eine Topographie historischer Gleichzeitigkeit. *Miscellanea Mediaevalia. Veröffentlichungen des Thomas-Instituts der Universität Köln*, 35. Berlin 2010, 829–881.

²⁶ A. KOLTSIU-NIKETA (Hrsg.), Φουλγεντίου πρὸς Πέτρον Περί Πίστεως. *Φιλοσοφική και θεολογική βιβλιοθήκη*, 40. Athen 1999.

²⁷ A. KOLTZIU-NIKETA (Hrsg.), Τὸ κῦρος τῶν πατέρων τῆς ἐκκλησίας. *Φιλοσοφική και θεολογική βιβλιοθήκη*, 42. Athen 2002. Edition nach dem *codex unicus* Vat. gr. 1879.

²⁸ Der Fehler *Liber Sententiorum* statt *-arum* (sc. des Prosper) kommt dreimal vor (23, 271, 294)! Auf Seite 117 (6. Z. von unten) ist "that" zu tilgen. Ferner: correspondence statt *correspondence* (142 Mitte), ἀρχόντων statt ἀρχόντων (146, Anm. 68), Nikephoras statt Nikephoros (283). Es ist unklar, warum R. bei griechischen Namen auf -os durchweg diese Endung beibehält, aber den Namen "Demetrios" auf -us enden lässt, und dies nicht nur *passim* bei Kydones; siehe z.B. auch Palaiologos, Demetrius (286)!

Irfan SHAHÎD, *Byzantium and the Arabs in the Sixth Century*. Volume 2, Part 2: Economic, Social and Cultural History. Washington D.C., Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection 2009. XXIII, 391 p. With 1 halftone plate, 5 maps. ISBN 978-0-88402-347-0.

The volume under review is the seventh in a project that has occupied its author for approximately thirty years and will include an eighth: *Rome and the Arabs* and *Byzantium and the Arabs in the Fourth Century* (both 1984), *Byzantium and the Arabs in the Fifth Century* (1989), *Byzantium and the Arabs in the Sixth Century* (= *BASIC*, Part I, vols. 1 and 2, Part II, vols. 1 and 2, 1995–2009), *Byzantium and Islam in the Seventh Century* (under preparation). The project is admirable for its epic proportions, the profound and variegated erudition necessary for its execution, and the internal consistency and clarity of its author's vision. As Arabists well know, the biggest problem in writing a history of the Arabs before Islam is the dearth of contemporary written sources produced by the Arabs themselves: we only have inscriptions²⁹ and a limited body of pre-Islamic poetry (which, in the form that we have it, is the product of philological activity in the Islamic period). Contextualizing the available written and archeological evidence depends on its contemporary Greek, Latin, and Syriac narrative sources. Following the great 19th century orientalist Theodore Nöldeke, Shahîd considers these more reliable than the Arabic sources of the Islamic period, which can be considerably later than the pre-Islamic events they describe (p. xv). Shahîd's approach is to closely examine every piece of evidence, squeeze it for any information it may yield (for which reason it may be repeatedly discussed in a number of different contexts),³⁰ accept later testimony only if it can be corroborated by pre-Islamic archeological or textual data, and supply what is missing from the sources by using a series of deductions and educated guesses. Inevitably, on a number of occasions Shahîd cannot provide a description, only an evocation of what pre-Islamic realities must have been like.

Given the use of Christianity by Byzantium for striking cultural, diplomatic, and military alliances, any investigation of its interaction with its Arab neighbors effectively produces a history of Christian Arabs before the rise of Islam. Shahîd explains that his aim is to offer a component necessary for an accurate understanding of the subsequent rise of Islam and the political, economic, and cultural outlook of the early Islamic period.³¹ Implicitly, he offers a corrective to the narrative dominant in medieval Arabic (and much of modern) historiography that effectively equates Arabness with Islam and views Islam as the single most important factor in the creation of an urban Arab

²⁹ The most recent systematic discussion of pre-Islamic Arabic inscriptions in the Nabatean and Aramaic scripts, and six examples in the Arabic script, is Ch. J. ROBIN, *La réforme de l'écriture arabe à l'époque du califat médinois. Mélanges de l'Université Saint-Joseph* 59 (2006) 319–364; a seventh is discussed by SHAHÎD, *BASIC* II.2, 299 ff.

³⁰ Explained in SHAHÎD, *Rome and the Arabs* xii.

³¹ Already in SHAHÎD, *Rome and the Arabs* xxix.

civilization and a written literary culture in Arabic, contrasting the Muslim civilization with the pre-Islamic “age of ignorance” (*al-jāhiliyya*, taken to be synonymous with “barbarity”). Accordingly, Shahîd in *BASIC* II.2 highlights the extensive zone of the Byzantine-Arab frontier dominated by Byzantium’s sixth-century Christian Arab *foederati*, the Ghassānids, as possessing vibrant urban centers, a developed sedentary material culture, and a literature (both oral and written, including translations of biblical texts).

Compared with the 628 and 592 pages that Shahîd dedicated to the fourth and fifth centuries respectively, the sixth receives the lion’s share with a total of 1891 pages. The reasons are multiple: comparatively, the sixth is a better documented century on both the Byzantine and the Arab side, especially as it partly covers the lifetime of the Prophet Muḥammad (born ca. 570), which also makes its developments particularly relevant to the rise of Islam. In addition, the Ghassānids lasted one-hundred-and-fifty years in Byzantium’s service, the longest of any group of *foederati* in the first three Byzantine centuries (p. 61). Shahîd views this as “the first and last time in the course of two millennia that there evolved a mature Christian Arab culture” (p. 262), the Christian phase in the history of the Arabs and an intermediary station in their spiritual journey from paganism to Islam.

The volume under review comprises three parts labeled as economic, social and cultural history. Shahîd explains that the Ghassānids contributed to the booming sixth-century Byzantine economy with the security they offered (against the Bedouin nomads, the Lakhmid Arab allies of Persia and the Sassanian armies themselves) and their own trading activities along the caravan routes and at fairs; they facilitated the influx of Arabian gold to Byzantium and served as tax collectors on its behalf. Arabia was divided in two spheres of economic influence, Byzantine in the West and Persian in the East. In 520 A.D., the conquest of South Arabia by the Ethiopians made Western Arabia Christian and the Red Sea “a Christian lake” (p. 52), while the Jewish communities of the Hijāz were primarily inimical to Byzantium and friendly with Persia. In the period 570–630, the Persians occupied South Arabia, controlled its financial resources, and tried to displace Byzantine influence from the region. Shahîd claims direct involvement of Byzantium in Meccan politics and direct knowledge of Byzantium by the tribe of the Quraysh (p. 21) that controlled caravan traffic and the pre-Islamic pagan pilgrimage to Mecca, and in which the Prophet Muḥammad was born. ‘Uthmān ibn al-Ḥuwayrith, a Meccan of the Banū-Asad (the Quraysh clan to which Khadīja, Muḥammad’s first wife, belonged), was an agent of Byzantium and wanted to become the Byzantine phylarch/king over Mecca (p. 21). The Ghassānids maintained a close relation with the Arabs of Medina (p. 22). The overall picture that Shahîd conveys implies that the Ghassānids in their lands and beyond performed equivalent economic and cultural functions as those traditionally ascribed to Mecca and Medina, the two major Arabian urban centers right before the rise

of Islam, which created the necessary conditions for Islam's development and expansion.³²

Under "social history" Shahîd covers topics that modern scholarship sometimes labels as "folklore" (childhood and children's education, marriage, circumcision, the life of women and their role in death rituals, food, drink, clothes, medicine, music and song, dance, victory celebrations, votive and victory offerings, the horse, the hunt, banquets, recreation in the countryside). This approach draws inspiration from the work of the Greek Byzantinist Phaidon Koukoules (p. xvi), especially his multi-volume *Byzantine Life and Civilization* (*Βυζαντινὸν βίος καὶ πολιτισμός*, Athens 1948–55). Combining the investigation of a medieval civilization with folklore is not unique to Byzantine studies. It has its roots in the broader nineteenth-century understanding of the Middle Ages as a breeding ground for modern European national identities, of which folklore is a constituent part. In the manner of Koukoules, Shahîd uses modern-day folklore to elucidate sixth-century practices attested in pre-Islamic poetry, such as the early-twentieth-century Palestinian custom of celebrating Christian holidays with a visit to a holy site and a picnic, which he applies to the decipherment of an otherwise obscure mention in pre-Islamic poetry, the *Yawm al-khurāj* (Day of the Exodus) (p. 112). This endeavor places him in a time-honored line of modern Christian Arab authors researching elements of folklore that can be traced back to the pre-Islamic period, such as the early twentieth-century Palestinian physician Tawfiq Kana'an (amulets, daemons, holy fools and codes of behavior pertinent to women); his Jerusalemite contemporaries Stephan Hanna Stephan (time, periodization of the agricultural cycle) and Elias Haddad (blood revenge, hospitality, pedagogy);³³ and, from the 1960s onwards, the Lebanese Toufic Fahd (divination). If folklore is a constituent element of national identity, its exploration reaching back to the pre-Islamic period contributes to an articulation of Arabness that transcends the chronological and cultural boundaries of Islam and can therefore include a Christian Arab identity.

In the third part on "cultural history", Shahîd explores the Ghassānids as a sedentary power, their art and architecture, the monastery as a cultural center, the Arabic script, poetry, and oratory, and concludes with a chapter titled "The Ghassānid identity". As he explains, the Ghassānids were a sedentary tribe from the urbanized Arabian South, whence they migrated to Syria and became Byzantium's allies, helping to reassert imperial control along Byzantium's eastern frontier. In this capacity, they defended and controlled a discrete and significant territory extending from Sinai to Mesopotamia, which Shahîd terms "Ghassānland". Thanks to their prior urban and sedentary experience, they reinvigorated a region that had been neglected, reclaimed land from the desert, used hydraulic expertise for irrigation, and revitalized towns. This was a

³² The traditional view of a booming Meccan trade was revised in P. CRONE, *Meccan Trade and the Rise of Islam* (1987), but Shahîd does not follow Crone.

³³ On the ethnographers of Kana'an's circle, see S. TAMARI, *Mountain Against the Sea*. Berkeley, 2009, 93–112.

“united, efficiently run limitrophe” with at least four major urban centers: Jābiya, Jalliq, Ruṣāfa/Sergiopolis, Huwārīn/Evaria. The frequent occurrence of the words *qaṣr* (castrum) and *dayr* (monastery) in toponymy, even recent, suggests that these formed the basis for continued later habitation and attests to the influence of the Roman/Christian Ghassānids in the region. Shahīd asserts that the urban nexus of the Umayyad period was not newly created but almost entirely depended on a pre-existing urban development effected by the Ghassānids. In this he follows a suggestion made by Rudolph Brunnow specifically about Mushattā more than a hundred years ago (p. 272) and calls on archeology to concentrate on the pertinent evidence.

Here and in the previous section, Shahīd paints a Ghassānid way of life similar yet distinct from the Byzantine one and specifically Arabic. For example, the Ghassānids used Greek for official purposes (p. 342), their elites received a Greek education (pp. 77–78, 86 and 113–15), their doctors were trained in Greek medicine, whether in Alexandria or Jundīshāpur (pp. 178–81), and they most probably incorporated Byzantine elements in their food (p. 129) and dress (p. 162–63). But they rejected favorite Byzantine pastimes such as the hippodrome, the amphitheater, the theater, and the baths (p. 63) and as a result they developed a distinctly Ghassānid type of urban environment in their cities. Among the components of Ghassānid identity (discerned as Roman, Christian, and Hellenic on an Arab foundation, pp. 338–46), he deems monophysite Christianity and Arabness as the most important. Shahīd credits the Ghassānids with playing a role in the development of the Arabic script (pp. 297–302). Their arrival from South Arabia revitalized Syria’s Arabness that had been extinguished after the Romanization of the Nabateans (p. 301). If Shahīd is right, the subsequent rapidity and permanence of the Muslim conquests is unthinkable without the Arab high culture created by the Ghassānids in Syria.

The material presented by Shahīd touches on a number of important issues that scholars in the future may want to reflect further on. For example, Shahīd briefly asks whether the Greek *agoranomos* and the Arabic *muhtasib* represent a case of continuity from the Byzantine to the Islamic fiscal administration (p. 40) and whether the Ghassānids as tax collectors performed a function equivalent with the *commercarius* in the orients (p. 42). Analogies in Greek and Arabic literary tropes are also brought up: Shahīd analyzes a quatrain by the pre-Islamic poet al-Nābigha al-Dhubaynī in which the outward handsomeness of a Ghassānid prince corresponds to moral probity (pp. 74–75). In this reviewer’s opinion, this evidence suggests that Ghassānid society may have shared with its contemporary Graeco-Roman world attitudes towards physiognomy (the art of deducing an individual’s moral character and predicting future behavior on the basis of outward appearance), a field of knowledge that demonstrably played an important role in public self-presentation. Shahīd also remarks on analogies between the descriptions of paradise in the Qur’ān and the material universe of Ghassānid palaces (pp. 135–37), which calls to mind a *topos* in Byzantine literature, namely the analogy between the Christian paradise and the imperial palace. Further (pp. 336–37), Shahīd points at

similarities between al-Nābigha's sensual description of a woman (traditionally identified as the Lakhmid queen Mutajarrida) and Psellos' eleventh-century description of his daughter's lips, neck, and stature which explicitly refers to Solomon's "Song of Songs". Shahīd uses these analogies to argue that al-Nābigha (a panegyrist for both the Christian Ghassānids and the pagan Lakhmids) employed the Bible, perhaps already available in Arabic translation, as a source of inspiration. Close correspondences in the structure and language of the "Song of Songs" and early twentieth century Palestinian folk songs were observed almost a century ago by Stephan Hanna Stephan.³⁴ This is favorable to Shahīd's acceptance of continuities between the world of pre-Islamic poetry and that of modern Arab folklore, especially if one views the "Song of Songs" as an ancient Semitic folk song, but argues against a biblical source of inspiration for a poet who spent most of his career in the service of pagan patrons.

An asset to the volume is Shahīd's philological expertise and extensive knowledge of Arabic poetry, a source that historians do not ordinarily mine for their purposes. A particularly welcome contribution is his elucidation of Greek terms in the Arabic language. This is an important venue for tracing cultural contact, especially during a period poor in other sources, but a topic on which the expertise of medieval Arabic philologists (on whose work modern etymological explanations also depend) was limited.

Shahīd's aim to define and describe Ghassānid identity (as well as pre-Islamic and Christian Arab identity in general, beginning with his 1984 volumes) has huge implications for conceiving a modern Arab identity. An equivalent is Robert Hoyland's considerably briefer and chronologically more expansive *Arabia and the Arabs from the Bronze Age to the Coming of Islam* (2001). Hoyland deploys a sequence of chapters similar to *BASIC* II.2 and arrives at almost the same conclusion as Shahīd (Arabness as a collective identity pre-dates Islam and does not depend on it), but his narrative does not reserve a role for Arabic Christianity.

Shahīd's interpretations may not meet with universal acceptance, primarily because they have to be teased out of a finite and fragmentary body of material evidence requiring several hypothetical reconstructions. But even those in disagreement would have to begin their criticism by extensively referring to Shahīd's volume.

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³⁴ S. H. STEPHAN, Modern Palestinian Parallels to the Song of Songs. *Journal of the Palestine Oriental Society* 2 (1922).

Diane H. TOULIATOS-MILES, *A Descriptive Catalogue of the Musical Manuscript Collection of the National Library of Greece: Byzantine Chant and Other Music Repertory Recovered*. Farnham, Surrey/Burlington, VT, Ashgate 2010. x, 632 p., 32 pl. ISBN 978-0-75-465168-0.

Il catalogo curato da Diane Toulitos-Miles descrive 242 codici musicali conservati presso la Biblioteca Nazionale di Grecia (= EBE), quasi tutti (240) manoscritti greci con notazione musicale bizantina, ad eccezione di due elementi costituiti da pagine e frammenti con notazione musicale occidentale su pentagramma, ascrivibili alla prima metà del XIX secolo (EBE 960 e 1946). I manoscritti greci sono datati o databili tra l'XI e il XIX secolo e sono rappresentativi di differenti tipi di notazione musicale, dalla notazione ecfonetica, che si riscontra esclusivamente nei Lezionari, o dalla notazione mediobizantina, adoperata invece per i libri di canto a partire dal XII secolo, fino alla notazione crisantina, ovvero al sistema musicale utilizzato ai giorni nostri. Si tratta, per lo più, di Akolouthiai e Sticherari, ma, accanto a queste più diffuse tipologie librarie, si annoverano anche Anthologia, Anastasimataria, Lezionari dei Vangeli, Irmologi, Mathemataria, e così via, oltre alla trattatistica musicale, con l'aggiunta infine di due trattati sui metri poetici greci. La mole e la varietà del materiale descritto sono dunque notevoli.

In una breve introduzione (pp. 1–7) la curatrice del catalogo illustra in termini generali le caratteristiche della collezione musicale dell'EBE, facendone emergere la reale consistenza, in relazione soprattutto ai dati ricavabili dal vecchio catalogo dei manoscritti della biblioteca curato da Ioannis e Alkibiadis Sakkelion (1892), nel quale, quasi 120 anni fa, erano menzionati solo 93 manoscritti musicali, molto sommariamente descritti sotto la generica etichetta di «musica ecclesiastica». In tale catalogo, inoltre, non potevano ovviamente figurare le nuove acquisizioni giunte all'EBE solamente in anni successivi alla sua pubblicazione, provenienti da varie istituzioni e monasteri di diverso ambito regionale. Anche i successivi progetti di aggiornamento e le iniziative di catalogazione dei materiali non rappresentati nel catalogo dei Sakkelion non avevano del resto apportato un sostanziale contributo per quanto riguarda la descrizione dei manoscritti musicali: antiche fonti musicali non erano state riconosciute come tali, altre, più tarde, non erano state correttamente identificate o datate o semplicemente analizzate in una prospettiva musicologica. Dopo aver con ciò motivato la necessità di compilare e pubblicare un catalogo descrittivo dell'intera collezione musicale dell'EBE, la curatrice prosegue presentando rapidamente alcune fra le più significative scoperte, da un punto di vista puramente testuale, fatte nel corso del lavoro di catalogazione (pp. 4–6).

Segue quindi la parte centrale del catalogo, che comprende le descrizioni dei 242 manoscritti musicali o d'interesse musicologico (pp. 10–578). Le schede descrittive degli elementi manoscritti non sono associate a una numerazione progressiva, ma si susseguono seguendo l'ordine dell'attuale segnatura del manoscritto (da EBE 741 a EBE 3469). Per ciascun esemplare il catalogo fornisce i dati essenziali, che danno una sintetica presentazione del manoscrit-

to: in evidenza sono poste la segnatura e un'indicazione sintetica del contenuto, di seguito, in carattere più piccolo, si riferisce in breve di materiale, dimensioni, numero dei fogli, classificazione della notazione musicale, data, provenienza. Si prosegue quindi con l'analisi del contenuto, grosso modo per ampie sezioni di testo, senza scendere nei particolari; per alcuni codici che la curatrice ritiene più interessanti perché più completi o più antichi, o ancora per le frequenti attribuzioni agli innografi delle composizioni trascritte, la descrizione testuale si fa però più dettagliata, quasi una sorta di indice dei contenuti (cf. ad es. i manoscritti EBE 883, 899, 2061, 2062, 2401, 2406). La descrizione per lo più si conclude con una serie di osservazioni e ulteriori informazioni sul manoscritto che la curatrice riunisce, senza ulteriori distinzioni, sotto la voce «Notes»; qui si trovano raccolte notizie e indicazioni di vario genere e natura, come ad es. il riferimento ai colori degli inchiostri utilizzati, ai numeri di righe per foglio o per colonna di scrittura, allo stato di conservazione del testimone, accenni alla decorazione, o vi si avverte – senza dare precisa e completa ripartizione degli interventi – di eventuali cambi di mano nella trascrizione del codice, e così via. Utili – seppure per espressa dichiarazione della curatrice né esaustivi né costantemente presenti ma semplicemente selettivi secondo un criterio di «rilevanza» – i riferimenti bibliografici collocati alla fine della scheda (cf. *infra*).

Alla fine del cospicuo blocco delle descrizioni si trovano due appendici. La prima, Appendix A (pp. 579–584), riunisce, in una sorta di specchietto riassuntivo, tutti i codici presi in esame suddividendoli in base alle tipologie librarie (Akoulouthia, Anastasimatarion, Ancient Greek Treatises, ecc.), disposte in ordine alfabetico; per ciascun manoscritto sono indicati la segnatura e la data. La seconda, Appendix B (pp. 585–587), elenca i manoscritti musicali provenienti dalla Biblioteca del metochio del S. Sepolcro a Costantinopoli, acquisiti dall'EBE nell'ultimo ventennio del secolo scorso e ivi custoditi presso la stessa Divisione manoscritti. Si tratta di 107 manoscritti musicali greci che erano stati già catalogati da Athanasios Papadopoulos-Kerameus nel 1899; di questi codici, ora parte della collezione musicale dell'EBE, la curatrice si limita a richiamare, per ogni manoscritto, la segnatura, la tipologia libraria, le dimensioni, il numero dei fogli, il tipo di notazione musicale che si riscontra e la data.

Infine, affrontando una tipologia particolare di manoscritti – quelli musicali –, la cui descrizione richiede sovente l'utilizzo di termini tecnici di carattere prevalentemente musicologico e liturgico, la curatrice ha ritenuto opportuno, per rendere accessibile il catalogo anche ai non specialisti, fornire un glossario (pp. 589–609) di alcuni termini specifici che ricorrono più di frequente nelle descrizioni.

Il catalogo si conclude con la Bibliografia (pp. 611–617) dei lavori citati nel volume e con un Indice (pp. 619–632) degli innografi e dei melurgi le cui opere sono trascritte nei codici presi in esame. A corredo del volume sono inserite 32 tavole fuori testo, di cui 12 a colori e 20 in bianco/nero, che riproducono fogli di una scelta dei manoscritti della collezione. Per agevolare il reperimento delle descrizioni la curatrice ha inserito, all'inizio del volume (pp. vi–viii), un

sommario con il rinvio dalla segnatura del manoscritto alla pagina del catalogo in cui ha inizio ciascuna descrizione.

La pubblicazione di un catalogo descrittivo della collezione di manoscritti musicali custoditi presso l'EBE offre senza dubbio un nuovo, prezioso (anzi, d'ora in poi indispensabile) strumento di lavoro agli studiosi, soprattutto musicologi. Esso rende accessibile per la prima volta, con una presentazione ordinata e organica, il repertorio integrale delle fonti musicali dell'EBE, che era finora individuabile solo a fatica, dal momento che non esistevano, in precedenza, catalogazioni speciali di taglio musicologico o anche semplici inventariazioni della collezione musicale. La raccolta, senza dubbio notevole da un punto di vista quantitativo, annovera soprattutto materiale del XVIII e XIX secolo. Da un primo esame delle descrizioni, infatti, salta all'occhio innanzitutto il fatto che i manoscritti del periodo più antico sono in netta minoranza: i pochi più antichi, una dozzina circa, appartengono ai secoli XI–XII e consistono esclusivamente di Lezionari dei Vangeli con notazione musicale ecfonetica. Del tutto assenti, invece, testimonianze manoscritte anteriori al XII secolo fornite di notazione musicale antica di tipo melodico, quale ad es. la notazione paleobizantina. Antichi testimoni di tali tipologie notazionali non sono infatti pervenuti all'EBE neanche tramite la recente acquisizione della raccolta libraria del metochio costantinopolitano del S. Sepolcro.

Gli obiettivi che il nuovo catalogo si pone sono, per espressa dichiarazione della curatrice, molteplici: rendere più facilmente accessibile agli studiosi interessati un vasto patrimonio, di indiscutibile importanza e consistenza, sconosciuto o poco noto fuori dalla Grecia; favorire nuove e più approfondite ricerche, anche di tipo comparativo, su queste preziose fonti musicali e, più in generale, stimolare un maggiore interesse verso il settore e il repertorio della musica bizantina, ancora poco frequentati dagli studiosi. La stessa struttura del catalogo, che introduce sintetiche spiegazioni o traduzioni in inglese di rubriche e di osservazioni, dovrebbe, a detta della curatrice, facilitare la consultazione soprattutto da parte dei non «addetti ai lavori», siano essi bizantinisti o studiosi di musicologia alle prime armi. In particolare, la scelta della lingua inglese per spiegazioni, commenti e brevi traduzioni dal greco, accanto alla lingua greca utilizzata nella descrizione dei contenuti, e in special modo per la trascrizione delle rubriche, è motivata dalla volontà di rendere fruibile il catalogo a un maggior numero di studiosi, fra l'altro anche a chi ha scarsa familiarità con il greco antico e medievale, o a chi si occupa a vario titolo di manoscritti greci senza essere specialista di musica bizantina.

Il lavoro di catalogazione, in particolare a fronte di una massa molto ingente di materiale, comporta necessariamente un difficile lavoro preliminare di selezione delle categorie di dati da riportare e, al contrario, una serie di decisioni di metodo circa le informazioni che saranno invece da omettere. Le scelte operate dalla curatrice, docente di musicologia presso l'University of Missouri-St. Louis, nella descrizione dei codici dell'EBE tendono a mettere in risalto soprattutto gli aspetti testuali, a discapito di quelli puramente «materiali»; così sono spesso del tutto trascurate, o tutt'al più compaiono in maniera succinta in alcune descrizioni sotto la generica voce «Notes», le sintetiche

informazioni di carattere codicologico e paleografico (ad es. riferimenti a fascicolazione, rigatura, numero di righe per foglio o per colonna, legatura, ornamentazione, identificazione delle filigrane, descrizione della/e scrittura/e ecc.). Eccessivamente sommarie, per fare un esempio, risultano essere le schede descrittive di alcuni Lezionari dei Vangeli come i codici EBE 2645 e 2804, nelle quali la curatrice accenna *sic et simpliciter* alla presenza di «several illuminations» (pp. 492 e 511), senza che tale informazione lasci intuire la ricchezza decorativa di questi due manufatti, peraltro già descritta e, in modo esemplificativo, riprodotta nel catalogo dei manoscritti decorati dell'EBE curato da Anna Marava-Chatzinikolaou e Christina Toufexi-Paschou (1978), al quale poteva essere opportuno, a questo punto, rinviare nella voce «Bibliography» delle schede; il catalogo è noto alla curatrice perché ad esso si rimanda, invece, per le schede dei Lezionari EBE 2166 e 2168, senza però indicare il numero delle scheda o quello delle pagine che contengono le descrizioni dei due codici. Troppo semplificate anche le descrizioni testuali degli stessi Lezionari per i quali, invece, avrebbe giovato il rinvio a uno strumento di riferimento (ad es. C. R. GREGORY, *Textkritik des Neuen Testaments*, I–III, Leipzig 1900–1909). Ma anche lo stesso schema di descrizione testuale non risulta costante, per successione dei dati e per grado di dettagliatezza e approfondimento, tra i diversi codici esaminati. Alcune delle scelte fatte – ma anche una attenzione non sempre costante nei confronti dei vari testimoni – hanno così portato alla realizzazione di descrizioni forse poco uniformi, più lunghe e ricche di dettagli per i manoscritti ritenuti più significativi (cf. *supra*), molto più sommarie per il resto dei codici, ovvero per la massima parte di essi. Così facendo la curatrice si prefigge certo l'obiettivo di seguire «the guidelines used by Manolis Chatzigiakoumis and Thomas J. Mathiesen in their Greek music catalogues, where most major sections are identified but not necessarily all rubrics» (p. 7). Ma alcune difformità stridono con particolare evidenza: un esempio significativo può essere la descrizione del manoscritto EBE 884, nella quale la curatrice elenca, in successione, solo alcuni degli innografi le cui composizioni sono trascritte nel codice preso in esame, operando già *a priori* una selezione in base alla mera notorietà dell'autore; ciascun nome riportato è preceduto dal rinvio al foglio del manoscritto sul quale si trova, accanto ad altri sticheri, anche quello attribuito all'innografo menzionato, così come verosimilmente si legge sul codice. In tal modo, però, gli innografi meno conosciuti e le composizioni meno note continuano a restare nell'ombra, così come resta inevitabilmente negletto il problema della correttezza delle attribuzioni degli inni.

Per una più proficua e agevole consultazione del catalogo sarebbe stata vivamente auspicabile l'indicizzazione degli *initia* almeno delle composizioni inedite, non identificate o poco note che si incontrano nei codici descritti; questo avrebbe messo ulteriormente in risalto le più interessanti peculiarità di alcuni esemplari della raccolta. D'altra parte sarebbe stata molto utile anche la compilazione di un indice alfabetico generale. Indici di questo tipo richiedono senz'altro un ulteriore, notevole sforzo ma migliorano di certo grandemente la fruibilità del catalogo stesso, tanto da essere ormai abitualmente inseriti in «cataloghi speciali» come il presente. Se, come è comprensibile, la curatrice (o

l'editore) non hanno ritenuto di poter affrontare il lavoro di una più dettagliata indicizzazione – che del resto avrebbe fatto allungare i tempi di pubblicazione, avrebbe fatto lievitare il numero di pagine del volume, e avrebbe fatto crescere ulteriormente l'impegno editoriale e i costi della stampa –, forse una economica soluzione di ripiego avrebbe potuto essere un supporto informatico (CD-Rom o altro) allegato al volume, che, contenendo il testo integrale del catalogo, avrebbe almeno reso possibile al lettore effettuare facilmente un'ampia serie di ricerche per parola-chiave.

La lettura continua del volume, scheda dopo scheda, induce ad ammirare la pazienza e la costanza della curatrice, che si è sottoposta, negli anni, a un duro *tour de force* catalografico. Come è ovvio in un lavoro di tale mole, emerge, è vero, qualche svista, ad esempio qualche discrepanza nella datazione dei codici, come nel caso del manoscritto EBE 899, che la studiosa attribuisce, all'inizio della descrizione, agli anni 1390–1410, mentre nella voce «Notes» lo definisce «a beautiful late 13th- to early 14th-century manuscript» (p. 71), e, poco più avanti, sottolinea la presenza di «works of an early 15th-century Cypriot composer, Nicholas Asan», che, sembra, compaiano per la prima volta proprio in questo codice. Anche la datazione dell'EBE 2540 andrebbe precisata, o meglio posticipata al secolo XIII anziché all'XI–XII secolo come nel presente catalogo. Qualche altra incongruenza d'ordine più generale emerge: a) nella descrizione del materiale, quando ad es. nelle schede EBE 2513, 2520, 2525, 2540, 2552, 2557, 2645, 2672, 2676, 2711, 2804, 3028, 3062, si segnala «bombycinus» come «type of paper» impiegato, trattandosi in realtà di pergamena; b) nella terminologia adoperata per descrivere la scrittura musicale, quando ad es. nella scheda EBE 2804 si definisce «early Ecphonetic» la notazione musicale presente nel Lezionario, mentre invece sembrerebbe trattarsi del «sistema classico», caratterizzato dall'uso ormai codificato dei segni ecfonetici, oppure quando nella scheda EBE 2513 si afferma che «The music is in an early Ecphonetic notation that is typical of the 11th–12th centuries, when the notation had not been fully developed but served as a mnemonic aid to the chanters» (p. 413), mentre secondo i recenti studi questo sistema musicale ha raggiunto uno stadio di maturazione già nell'XI secolo senza peraltro essere mai venuta meno, nell'apprendimento della cantillazione, la predominanza dell'oralità sulla notazione scritta; c) nella voce «Bibliography» delle schede, in cui le citazioni bibliografiche non compaiono sempre nella stessa forma, ma vengono talora abbreviate in modo differente (cf. ad es. pp. 258 e 260), e inoltre una stessa opera non viene sempre richiamata in tutte le schede in cui dovrebbe essere citata (ad es. per i Lezionari dei Vangeli non sono menzionati il repertorio di Kurt Aland e il catalogo di Marava-Chatzinikolaou/Toufexi-Paschou già indicato, nelle schede EBE 2513, 2520, 2525, 2540, 2552, 2557, 2645, 2672, 2676, 2711, 2804, 3028, 3062).

Si segnalano anche un uso disomogeneo delle lettere maiuscole e la presenza qua e là anche di non pochi refusi tipografici (κυρακη, μάιος, ripetuti ovunque), in parte giustificati dalla stessa curatrice nella Prefazione sottolineando le difficoltà incontrate, in un lavoro protrattosi tanto a lungo nel tempo, nel convertire i files originali divenuti via via obsoleti e ormai illeggibili dai

moderni sistemi di *word processing*, e nell'uniformare i molteplici fonts utilizzati, negli anni, sui vari computers di cui si è servita.

Al di là di queste osservazioni di dettaglio – che non vogliono in alcun modo sminuire la portata e la bontà del lavoro svolto – e soprattutto a fronte del notevole numero di manoscritti esaminati, il catalogo qui recensito rimane comunque il frutto realmente apprezzabile di un impegno descrittivo lungo e affrontato con grande serietà, e un nuovo importante contributo alla mappatura dei manoscritti musicali greci conservati in Grecia. Da questo punto di vista vale la pena di osservare, infine, come questa iniziativa catalografica non si presenti come un lavoro isolato, ma si collochi invece all'interno di una recente tendenza degli studi musicologici bizantini – si pensi, ad esempio, alle recenti catalogazioni ad opera di D.K. BALAGEORGOS / F.N. KRITIKOU, *Τὰ χειρόγραφα βυζαντινῆς μουσικῆς, Ἁγίου Σινᾶ. Κατάλογος περιγραφικὸς τῶν χειρογραφῶν κωδίκων ...*, τόμος α', Ἀθήνα 2008; E. GIANNOPOULOS, *Catalogue of Manuscripts of Byzantine Chant*, England, Athens 2008 – che mira finalmente a censire e catalogare in maniera esaustiva tutti i manoscritti legati allo studio e alla trasmissione della cultura musicale greca d'età bizantina e post-bizantina.

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conoscendo il ruolo centrale che esse avevano nella riappropriazione mitica del passato di Bisanzio. È anche possibile che il poema fosse stato pensato proprio per un'audience costantinopolitana». – D'Aiuto. [47]

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mule indicanti natura e fonte della lezione, che rinvierebbero a sigle dell'antigrafo fraintese dal postillatore mediobizantino: in particolare, la formula più nota agli studiosi, che menziona il celebre τ(οῦ) π(α)ρι(ά)ρ(ου) τὸ βι(βλίον), si dovrebbe invece intendere come deformazione di τ(οῦ) π(α)ρικ(ίου) τὸ βι(βλίον), con riferimento al titolo di patrizio di cui il possessore dell'esemplare era insignito. Secondo L., questi sarebbe il Menas patrizio d'età giustiniana noto dal dialogo *De scientia politica*: del resto, l'epigramma in lode di un Menas celebrato come studioso di Platone, tradito dal Par. gr. 1116, poteva essere trascritto proprio sul frontespizio della lussuosa «edizione» platonica di Menas che sarebbe richiamata nelle postille al Vat. gr. 1. Delle altre due formule introduttive delle postille, ἀπ' ὀρθῶ(σεως) andrebbe interpretato come corruzione di Ἀ(ριστοφάνους) διόρθω(σις) o simile (= Aristofane di Bisanzio); ἀλλ(α)χ(οῦ) invece traviserebbe Ἀττ(ι)κ(ός) o ἄττ(ι)κ(όν), ora con riferimento al filosofo medioplatonico Attico, ora a indicare una voce attica esclusiva di Platone, ora (più spesso) con rinvio agli autorevoli «esemplari attici» di Platone citati anche da Galeno. Causa degli errori: la veloce maiuscola corsiva inclinata di glossa dell'ipotizzato modello tardoantico (il codice di Menas). – D'Aiuto. [74]

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espressamente attribuito a <Gregorio> di Corinto e sinora ignoto, presenta una dedica all'imperatore Leone VI che potrebbe indurre ad anticipare il floruit di Gregorio alla prima metà del sec. X. – D'Aiuto. [234

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testo dimostra «con chiarezza come questo gruppo [= i Koudougheroi] non vada collocato nella storia dell'eresia dualista medievale. Le pratiche e le credenze [scil. dei Koudougheroi], spesso di carattere magico e superstizioso, nelle quali la demonologia e le raffigurazioni dell'al di là avevano senza dubbio un posto centrale, ci conducono piuttosto a forme di "religione popolare" (...). La volontà degli inquisitori di ricondurre questo tipo di religiosità all'eresia, nel caso concreto al Bogomilismo, è un meccanismo ben conosciuto per il Medioevo e gli albori dell'età moderna». – D'Aiuto. [345]

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Gulules S. G., *Η «αοίκητος» Λάρισα και η αναστήλωση του καθεδρικού ναού του αρχαγγέλου Μιχαήλ Τρικάλων (c. 1332, 1362): βιβλικά αρχέτυπα και ιστορικά αντίτυπα*. *Byzantina* 29 (2009) 163–197. – Kotzabassi. [949]

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Mexia A., *Άγνωστοι βυζαντινοί ναοί στον Μαντοφόρο του Πύργου Διρού*. (Nr. 1159). – Kalopissi-Verti.

Mpuras Ch., *Διάτρητα μαρμάρινα μεσοβυζαντινά γλυπτά στην Ελλάδα*. – **Pennas Ch./Vanderheyde C.** (éd.), *La sculpture byzantine VIIe–XIIe siècles. Actes du colloque international organisé par la 2e Éphorie des Antiquités Byzantines et l'École Française d'Athènes (6–8 septembre 2000)*. (Nr. 1768) 469–485. 9 Abb. – Berger. [955]

Nikonanos N., *The Mountain of Cells*. – **Chatzetryphonos E. K.** (ed.), *Routes of faith in the medieval mediterranean. History, monuments, people, pilgrimage perspectives. International symposium, Thessalonike 7–10/11/2007. Proceedings*. (Nr. 776) 290–295. 4 fig. Griechischer Text 509–511. – Ein wenig bekannter, vom 11. bis zum 19. Jh. bewohnter Mönchsberg bei Ayia in Thessalien. – Berger. [956]

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Palles G., *Spolia γλυπτών από την περιοχή Αμαρουσίου Αττικής*. – **Pennas Ch./Vanderheyde C.** (éds.), *La sculpture byzantine VIIe–XIIe siècles. Actes du colloque international organisé par la 2e Éphorie des Antiquités Byzantines et l'École Française d'Athènes (6–8 septembre 2000)*. (Nr. 1768) 303–315. 6 Abb. – Berger. [960]

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Pantu E., *Οι ατομικοί κολασμοί των αμαρτωλών σε μεταβυζαντινούς ναούς της Μάνης*. – **Eleutheriu E.** (Hrsg.), *Επιστημονικό Συμπόσιο στη Μνήμη Νικολάου Β. Δρανδάκη για τη Βυζαντινή Μάνη, Καραβοστάσι Οιτύλου, 21–22 Ιουνίου 2008, Πρακτικά*. (Nr. 1727) 233–258. Taf. XIII–XIV, 44–47. – Zu den individuellen Strafen der Verdammten in der Szene des Jüngsten Gerichtes in den Kirchen des 18. Jh.s in der Mani. – Kalopissi-Verti. [962]

Pazaras Th., *Τα βυζαντινά γλυπτά του καθολικού της μονής Βατοπεδίου στο Άγιον Όρος*. – **Pennas Ch./Vanderheyde C.** (éds.), *La sculpture byzantine VIIe–XIIe siècles. Actes du colloque international organisé par la 2e Éphorie des Antiquités Byzantines et l'École Française d'Athènes (6–8 septembre 2000)*. (Nr. 1768) 249–261. 10 Abb. – Berger. [963]

Pazaras Th. N., *Ανασκαφικές έρευνες στην περιοχή της Επανομής Θεσσαλονίκης: Το νεκροταφείο στο Λιμόρι και η παλαιοχριστιανική βασιλική στο Μπριαδούδι*. *Byzantina Mnemeia*, 16. Thessaloniki, Byzantine Research Centre 2009. 320 S. ISBN 978-960-785-631-9. – Kotzabassi. [964]

Penna B./Lampropulu A./Anagnostakes E., *Γλυπτά μεταβατικών χρόνων από τη βασιλική του Θεάτρου της αρχαίας Μεσσήνης*. – **Pennas Ch./Vanderheyde C.** (éds.), *La sculpture byzantine VIIe–XIIe siècles. Actes du colloque international organisé par la 2e Éphorie des Antiquités Byzantines et l'École Française d'Athènes (6–8 septembre 2000)*. (Nr. 1768) 375–392. 14 Abb. – Berger. [965]

Philippa-Touchais A., *Ο ναός των Αγίων Κωνσταντίνου και Ελένης (πρώην τζαμί) στο Άργος: συμβολή στη μελέτη του μνημείου*. – **Barales I. D./Pikulas G. A.** (Hrsg.), *Μνήμη Τασούλας Οικονόμου (1998–2008)*. (Nr. 1762) 177–204, Taf. 35–42. Mit französischer Zusammenfassung. – Zur Kirche der Hl. Konstantin und Helena in Argos, einer ehemaligen Moschee, die wahrscheinlich im

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Giankake A., *Εντοιχισμένα πινάκια σε εκκλησίες της Κρήτης: μια ερευνητική πρόταση*. – **Andrianakes M./Tzachile I.** (Hrsg.), *Αρχαιολογικό Έργο Κρήτης 1. Πρακτικά της 1ης Συνάντησης. Ρέθυμνο, 28–30 Νοεμβρίου 2008*. (Nr. 1705) 827–840. 2 Abb. Mit englischer Zusammenfassung. – Erste Darstellung eines Forschungsprojektes über die sog. bacini, an den Fassaden der Kirche eingemauerte Keramik. – Foskolou. [1989]

Gkratziu O., *Η Κρήτη στην ύστερη μεσαιωνική εποχή. Η μαρτυρία της εκκλησιαστικής αρχιτεκτονικής*. Ηράκλειο, Πανεπιστημιακές Εκδόσεις Κρήτης 2010. 336 S. 331 meist farbige Abb. ISBN 978-960-524-301-2. – Thema des Buches ist die Architektur Kretas zwischen dem 13. Jahrhundert und der Zeit um 1500, und umfasst damit die ersten Jahrhunderte der venezianischen Herrschaft auf der Insel. Im Mittelpunkt steht die Kirchenbaukunst, da sich Beispiele profaner Architektur aus diesem Zeitraum kaum erhalten haben. Einer Zusammenfassung des Forschungsstandes folgen acht Kapitel, in denen das umfangreiche Material unter kunsthistorischen, politischen und kirchenpolitischen Gesichtspunkten untersucht wird. Nach der venezianischen Eroberung der Insel setzte eine rege Bautätigkeit ein, verbunden mit der schnellen Entwicklung der Steinmetzkunst, neuer Bauornamentik und neuen Bautechniken. Eindringlich dargestellt wird die große Verbreitung einschiffiger, gewölbter Kapellen auf dem Land und die Vielzahl von Doppelkirchen, die mit ihren zwei Apsiden für den Gebrauch sowohl römisch-katholischer als auch griechisch-orthodoxer Gottesdienste interpretiert werden. Die Umgestaltung älterer Kirchen in gewölbte, dreischiffige Räume geht mit dem Zurücktreten der typisch byzantinischen Kuppelkirchen einher. Mit der Umdatierung der Kuppelkirche in Prinós bei Rhethymno in die zweite Hälfte des 15. Jahrhunderts gelingt es der Autorin, die direkten Auswirkungen der Union von Ost- und Westkirche der Kirchen auf die Kirchenbaukunst zu belegen. Gleich nach der Synode von Florenz (1439) weist die Gestaltung und Dekoration der Kirche in Prinós den Versuch auf, beide kirchlichen Traditionen zu verknüpfen. Das Buch legt reiches, vielfältiges Material vor, das der bisherigen Forschung zum großen Teil nur lückenhaft bekannt war. Durch ihre eindringliche Behandlung ist es der Verfasserin gelungen die vielen ländlich-bescheidenen Kirchen Kretas als Nachweis sowohl verloren gegangener ziviler Architektur heranzuziehen, als auch als Beispiel für die religiösen Auseinandersetzungen zwischen der griechisch-orthodoxen Mehrheit der Bevölkerung und der lateinischen Minderheit, die jedoch die ökonomische und politische Macht besaß. Der Einfluss der neuen religiösen Bewegung der Bettelorden, die Übernahme westlicher Gotik und ihre Umsetzung in der lokalen Bauornamentik sind weitere Belege für die intensiven West-Ost-Beziehungen im Spätmittelalter. Das Buch ist ein wichtiger und anregender Beitrag zu diesem schon viel diskutierten Thema. / Besprechung oben S. 199–208. – Foskolou/Berger. [1990]

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menfassung. – Über die Ausgrabung und die Restaurierungsarbeit in der Apostelkirche in Kato Episkopi, Sitia/ Kreta. Es wird gezeigt, dass das Gebäude ursprünglich, d. h. im 11. Jh., ein Bad war und in spätvenezianischen Zeit zur Bestattung der Bewohner der Siedlung diente. Neben der Gesamtzahl der Gräber wurden verschiedene Reste der sanitären Anlagen des mittelbyzantinischen Bades entdeckt. – Foskolou. [1991]

Longo F./Mpredake M./Benzi M., *Πρόγραμμα «Φαιστός». Μια ιταλο-ελληνική συνεργασία για τη μελέτη του οικισμού από τη νεολιθική εποχή μέχρι την ύστερη αρχαιότητα*. – **Andrianakes M./Tzachile I.** (Hrsg.), *Αρχαιολογικό Έργο Κρήτης 1. Πρακτικά της 1ης Συνάντησης. Ρέθυμνο, 28–30 Νοεμβρίου 2008*. (Nr. 1705) 348–361. – Über das „Phaistos-Projekt“, eine italienisch-griechische Zusammenarbeit zur Erforschung der Siedlung von Phaistos vom Neolithikum bis in die Spätantike. – Foskolou. [1992]

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Moschohe G., *Κατασκευαστικοί και μορφολογικοί μετασχηματισμοί σε ναούς της πρώιμης Βενετοκρατίας στο Νομό Λασιθίου*. – **Andrianakes M./Tzachile I.** (Hrsg.), *Αρχαιολογικό Έργο Κρήτης 1. Πρακτικά της 1ης Συνάντησης. Ρέθυμνο, 28–30 Νοεμβρίου 2008*. (Nr. 1705) 251–263. 14 Abb. 10 Zeich. Mit englischer Zusammenfassung. – Über die Sanierungsarbeiten an den Kirchen Panagia Kera in Kritsa, Ai-Giorgis bei Kroustas und Hagio Pneuma bei Limnakaro in der Hochebene von Lassithi, die im Zeitraum 2005–2008 durchgeführt wurden. Es wurde festgestellt, daß die ursprünglich einschiffige Kuppelkirche der Panagia Kera im 14. Jh. radikal umgebaut und mit zwei Seitenschiffen erweitert wurde. Im 14. Jh. wurden auch die Kirchen Ai-Giorgis in Kroustas und Hagio Pneuma in Limnakaro errichtet. – Foskolou. [1994]

Mprokolakes G., *Ο Άγιος Νικόλαος στο Μπουρούνι: αναστηλωτικές και ανασκαφικές εργασίες*. – **Andrianakes M./Tzachile I.** (Hrsg.), *Αρχαιολογικό Έργο Κρήτης 1. Πρακτικά της 1ης Συνάντησης. Ρέθυμνο, 28–30 Νοεμβρίου 2008*. (Nr. 1705) 223–232. 10 Abb. Mit englischer Zusammenfassung. – Über die Ausgrabung und die Restaurierungsarbeiten in der Kirche des Hl. Nikolaos in Bourouni, Lassithi/Kreta, die wegen ihrer anikonischen Wandmalereien bekannt ist. – Foskolou. [1995]

Mpurmpu Ch., *Η ανασκαφή του νεκροταφείου στο Ναό της Ζωοδόχου Πηγής (Αλικιανός)*. – **Andrianakes M./Tzachile I.** (Hrsg.), *Αρχαιολογικό Έργο Κρήτης 1. Πρακτικά της 1ης Συνάντησης. Ρέθυμνο, 28–30 Νοεμβρίου 2008*. (Nr. 1705) 754–766. 12 Abb. Mit englischer Zusammenfassung. – Die Notgrabung, die im Inneren der Kirche der Zoodochos Pigi (Alikianos, Chania) durchgeführt wurde, brachte einen umfangreichen Friedhof ans Tageslicht, der aus 21 Grä-

bern im Inneren der Kirche und 56 Gräbern im Außenbereich bestand. Die Studie ist ein vorläufiger Bericht über die Funde der Ausgrabung (Architektur der Gräber, Kleinfunde und Beobachtungen zu den Skelettresten), die auf eine Datierung des Friedhofes am Ende des 11. oder am Beginn des 12. Jh.s hinweisen. – Foskolou. [996]

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Karailiev Pl., *Ранновизантийска мярка за тежест* (Early Byzantine weight). *Acta Musei Varnaensis* 7/2 (2008) 41–44. With English summary. – Found in South Bulgaria. Dated to the second half of the 80 s of the 6th c. – Nikolov. [1372]

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de ce type, 9 avec la signature IEPOCO, 4 avec XC NI KA (MIB X27 et X28) ont dû être frappés en 614/615, par 2 coins de droit et 6 coins de revers. L'ex. 8, Sternberg 2000, lot 968 est entré à Dumbarton Oaks (BZC 2001.5). – Morrisson. [1377

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Minčev A., *Early Byzantine weights found in Northeastern Bulgaria and some notes on their production, distribution and use*. *Acta Musei Varnaensis* 7/2 (2008) 7–40. 83 ill. With Bulgarian summary. – Nikolov. [1379

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Schulze I., *The al-wafā lillāh coinage. A study of style (work in progress)*. – **Oddy W. A.** (ed.), *Coinage and history in the seventh century Near East 2: proceedings of the 12th Seventh Century Syrian Numismatic Round Table held at Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge on 4th and 5th April 2009*. (Nr. 1760) 111–121. ill. – Étude typologique de la série (SICA nos 595–604, Foss n° 32, p. 35) qui pourrait avoir été frappée par plusieurs ateliers de Filastin et al-Urdunn vu leur variété et les liaisons avec les monnaies signées de Tabariya/Tiberias. – Morrisson. [1388]

Schulze W., *Symbolism on the Syrian Standing Caliph coins: a contribution to the discussion*. – **Oddy W. A.** (ed.), *Coinage and history in the seventh century Near East 2: proceedings of the 12th Seventh Century Syrian Numismatic Round Table held at Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge on 4th and 5th April 2009*. (Nr. 1760) 11–21. ill. – L'a. émet l'hypothèse que le motif du revers de cette série n'est pas une «croix modifiée» mais bien une tentative de créer un symbole religieux islamique à partir de symboles astraux préislamiques. Il note aussi que l'émission est localisée dans le nord de la Palestine où étaient localisés ces lieux de culte et non dans le sud où dominait la piété chrétienne. – Morrisson. [1389]

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Vladimirova-Aladžova D./Aladžov Ž., *Новооткрити средновековни тежести еталони* (Newly found mediaeval weight standards). Acta Musei Varnaensis 7/

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Woytek B., *Denarius aureus oder nummus aureus?* Revue belge de numismatique 155 (2009) 177–208. – L'examen de la bibliographie et des sources y compris épigraphiques et papyrologiques révèle que l'appellation originelle de la monnaie d'or romaine denarius aureus (et non nummus aureus) donna lieu à deux usages différents: en Occident aureus seulement pour éviter la confusion avec la monnaie d'argent, en Orient δηνάριον (pour δηνάριον χρυσούν) d'où plus tard le dinar sassanide et arabe, puis, par l'intermédiaire de l'Iran, le dinara indien. – Morrisson. [1393]

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Spring J., *Ancient coin auction catalogues 1880–1980.* London, Spring 2009. 373 p. ill. ISBN 978-1-902040-88-2. – Berger. [1395]

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Fedeli L., *Il territorio dell'antica Mylae in età tardo-antica*. (Nr. 1106). – Bianchi.

Penčev V., *Колективна находка с билонови скифати от XII- първото десетилетие на XIII в. от Кюстендил* (A collective find of bilonicals scyphates from the 12th to the first decade of the 13th c. from Kyustendil). – **Petrunova B./ Aladžov A./ Vassileva E.** (éds.), *Laurea. In honorem Margaritae Vaklinova. Bd. II*. (Nr. 1695) 229–246. num. ill. With English summary. – 1134 coins from Kyustendil (West Bulgaria). The latest is of the Nicean emperor Theodore I Lascaris (1208–1222). – Nikolov. [1397]

Penčev V., *Нов тип билонови скифати на Исак Комнин, узурпатор на остров Кипър (1185–1191)* (New type billon scyphatos of Isaac Komnenos the usurper of the island of Cyprus, 1185–1191). – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov*. (Nr. 1667) 149–151. Pl. XV. With English summary. – Piece of coin discovered during archaeological excavations in Silistra (North Bulgaria). Its obverse presents Virgin Mary Orans, standing, en face. The reverse bears the representations of the emperor (left) and St George (right) standing, en face, holding between them a large patriarchal cross. – Nikolov. [1398]

Prigent V., *Monnaies et sceaux de plomb d'époque normande dans le médaillier du Musée Antonino Salinas de Palerme*. – **Re M./ Rognoni C.** (a cura di), *Giorgio di Antiochia. L'arte della politica in Sicilia nel XII secolo tra Bisanzio e l'Islam. Atti del Convegno Internazionale (Palermo, 19–20 Aprile 2007)*. (Nr. 1773) 341–358, т. 63–66. – Vom zahlreich erhaltenen bleiernen Notgeld Alexios' I. finden sich auch drei Stück in Palermo; wenn sie im normannischen Sizilien im Umlauf waren, ist das interessant. Das Siegel der Kaiserin Eirene würden wir – mit Zacos und Vegler – kaum der Gattin Alexios' I. zuweisen. Schließlich ein weiteres Siegel von Ioannes Triakontaphyllos als Kuropalates. – Seibt. [1399]

Sideropoulos K., *Άγιος Νικόλαος στο Μπουρούνι, Τα νομίσματα*. (Nr. 1005). – Foskolou.

Taddei A., *I monumenti protobizantini dell'acropoli di Amphipolis*. (Nr. 969). – Bianchi.

Travaglini A./ Camilleri V. G. (a cura di), *Hierapolis di Frigia IV: Hierapolis di Frigia, le monete, campagne di scavo 1957–2004*. (Missione Archeologica Italiana a Hierapolis, Hierapolis di Frigia IV, Istanbul 2010) 287 p., tabl., 15 pl., index. ISBN 978-60-5560-710-4. – Catalogue détaillé et commentaire des 1382 monnaies (AE essentiellement) mises au jour par les fouilles de la mission italienne de 1957 à 2004 (213 grecques, 676 romaines impériales dont 520 de

330 à 491 et 6 protovandales, 235 byzantines, 19 islamiques, dont 7 seldjoucides du 13e s. et 5 modernes. Les 177 monnaies byzantines isolées présentent les pointes habituelles des 6e–début 7e s. et des 10e–11e s. après la reprise sous Théophile et surtout sous Léon VI. Elles sont mises en relation avec l'histoire du site, notamment l'abandon de l'habitat dans la seconde moitié du 7e s. Le contexte archéologique montre ici aussi la persistance du numéraire du 4e s, voire du 3e, dans des couches du 6e ou du début 7e. – Morrisson. [1400]

Vorderstrasse T., *New evidence for coin circulation in Byzantine and early Islamic Egypt*. – **Oddy W. A.** (ed.), *Coinage and history in the seventh century Near East 2: proceedings of the 12th Seventh Century Syrian Numismatic Round Table held at Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge on 4th and 5th April 2009*. (Nr. 1760) 57–60. – Survey de la bibliographie récente et des travaux en cours de l'a. – Morrisson. [1401]

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Langó P./Polgár Sz., *Заметки по поводу находок под инвентарным номером 40. 10. византийской коллекции в Дамбартон Оуксе (США) (Bemerkungen zum Fundkomplex Inv. Nr. 40. 10. der byzantinischen Sammlung von Dumbarton Oaks, USA)*. – **Mirgaleev I. M.** (ed.), *Золотоордынское наследие. – Материалы Международной научной конференции «Политическая и социально-экономическая история Золотой Орды (XIII–XV вв.)» Казань, 17 марта 2009 г. Вып. 1*. (Nr. 1755) 488–500. – Juhász. [1403]

Lianta E., *A die-study of the half-stavrata of Manuel II Palaeologus (1391–1425)*. *Acta Musei Varnaensis* 7/1 (2008) 447–456. With Bulgarian summary. – Nikolov. [1404]

Sippel K., *Justinian in Wolfhagen*. *Archäologie in Deutschland* 2010/3, 42. 1 Abb. – Fund eines justinianischen Follis (539/40) in Nordhessen, möglicherweise von einem Kreuzfahrer dorthin verbracht. – Dennert. [1405]

Vanni F. M., *Una moneta da venerare*. *Numismatica e Antichità classiche. Quaderni Ticinesi* 38 (2009) 261–283. ill. – Un reliquaire de vermeil du Musée diocésain d'Arezzo contient un solidus d'Athalaric et Théodahat au nom de Justinien provenant du trésor découvert dans les travaux du Latran en 1587 (cf. L. Travaini, *BZ* 102, 2009, no. 3629). L'a. reprend l'histoire de ce trésor et de l'arrivée de cette monnaie-relique offerte à l'évêque d'Arezzo et décrit deux nouvelles monnaies du trésor, connues seulement par les mentions des archives (deux solidi de Tibère II). – Morrisson. [1406]

Vladimirova-Aladžova D., *Паричният номинал семис през V век* (Der Nominalwert semis im 5. Jh.). – **Aladžova D./Božkova A./Delev P./Nikolov V./Prešlenov Ch.** (Hrsg.), *Сборник в памет на професор Велизар Велков* (Nr. 1699) 457–461. – Goldmünzen aus der Sammlung des Nationalen Archäologischen Museums – Sofia, Bulgarien. Münzen der Kaiser Theodosios II. (408–450), Markian (450–457), Leon II. (474), Zenon (476–491). – Nikolov. [1407]

Vladimirova-Aladžova D., *Златни монети на император Лъв II* (Golden coins of emperor Leo II). – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov.* (Nr. 1667) 133–138. Pl. XV. With English summary. – There are three golden coins of emperor Leo II (474) known from Bulgaria so far, two solidus and one semis. – Nikolov. [1408]

Žekova Ž., *Имитация на златна византийска монета от X век* (Imitation of gold Byzantine coin from the 10th century). *Acta Musei Varnaensis* 7/1 (2008) 331–337. With English summary. – Coin from the Numismatic Collection of the Regional Museum – Shumen. Imitate Byzantine nomisma of Emperor Basil I (867–886). Made in Bulgaria. – Nikolov. [1409]

Žekova Ž., *Оловни монети на император Алексий I Комнин (1081–1118) от България* (Lead coins of emperor Alexios I Komnenos [1081–1118] from Bulgaria). – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov.* (Nr. 1667) 139–147. Pl. XV. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1410]

B. SIGILLOGRAPHIE

a. Allgemeine Darstellungen

Alekseenko N. A., *Neskol'ko Vizantijskich pečatej iz Bolgarskich nachodok* (Few Byzantine seals from Bulgarian finds). – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov.* (Nr. 1667) 263–275, т. 27. – Zehn Siegel einer Moskauer Privatsammlung, die aus Bulgarien stammen. Manche Typen sind schon bekannt. Neu und interessant: Siegel eines Basileios, Metropolit von Smyrna (10./11. Jh.) und eines Ioannes Autoreianos, Metropolit von Larissa (2. H. 12. Jh.). – Seibt. [1411]

Čhaidze V. N./Ustaeva E. R., *Vizantijskie pečati iz raskopok Tamanskogo gorodišča.* VV 68 (2009) 194–202. 6 Abb. – Von den sechs Siegeln, die bei Ausgrabungen in Taman gefunden wurden, stammen fünf von Logotheten des Genikon (9.–10. Jh.), eines von Antonios, Erzbischof von Zechia (Mitte 11. Jh.). – Seibt. [1412]

Cheyne J.-C., *La mise en place des thèmes d'après les sceaux: les stratégies.* – **Cheyne J.-C./Sode C.** (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10.* (Nr. 1415) 1–14. – Im 7. Jh. verloren die Amtsbezeichnungen Magister Militum/στρατηλάτης an Wert (im späten 7. Jh. war sogar der Kommandant der Byzacena

schon ein Magister Militum!), deshalb setzte sich für die höchsten Kommandanten die Bezeichnung Strategos durch. Die Siegel der Strategen des 7. Jh. nennen noch keine Truppen, das beginnt erst im 8. Jh. Die Thrakesianoï und Karabisianoï des 8. Jh. haben keinen Bezug zu einem bestimmten Territorium. Interessant, dass die Siegel der β. κομμέρκια um die Mitte des 8. Jh. στρατηγία nennen (bislang für 738/739–745/746 belegt) (Hellas, Thrakesion, Kibyrraioton). Bis in das frühe 8. Jh. gibt es kein Indiz, dass die alten großen Kommandos einen klar umrissenen geographischen Bezug haben oder gar mit der Verwaltung von „Themen“ betraut waren; bei den vor 700 eingerichteten neuen Kommandos (Sikelia, Hellas) mag das aber schon der Fall gewesen sein. Die Periode der Isaurier bedeutete eine wichtige Etappe in der Errichtung der „Themen“, welcher Terminus allerdings erst später auftaucht. – Seibt. [1413]

Cheyne J.-C., *Les Xylinitai. – Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov*. (Nr. 1667) 191–200. Taf. 19. – Monographie über die Familie Xylinites vom 8.–11. Jh., mit besonderer Auswertung der Siegel. Die Familie war primär in der zivilen Verwaltung und im Dienst am Hof tätig. Zu einem interessanten Kloster vgl. auch BZ 100 (2007) Nr. 235, ad 88.1. – Seibt. [1414]

Cheyne J.-C./Sode C. (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10*. Berlin/New York, De Gruyter 2010. XIV, 272 S. Textabb. ISBN 978-3-11-022704-8. – Die Beiträge werden angezeigt als Nr. 1413, 1417, 1418, 1421, 1422, 1423, 1426, 1436, 1438, 1441. – Seibt. [1415]

Feind R., *Byzantinische Siegelkunde. Eine Einführung in die Sigillographie von Byzanz*. Regensdorf, Edition Münzen & Sammeln 2010. 209 S. ISBN 978-3-86646-831-3. – Berger. [1416]

Jordanov I., *Byzantine Lead Seals from the village of Melnitsa (District of Elkhovo, Bulgaria), Part II*. – **Cheyne J.-C./Sode C.** (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10*. (Nr. 1415) 33–59. – Aus der Festung bei Melnica sind nun schon 134 Siegel bzw. Siegelfragmente bekannt. Das Meiste war schon publiziert, die neuen Stücke sind leider nur ausnahmsweise abgebildet. Außer einer Bulle Justinians stammen sie aus dem 9.–12. Jh. Mehrere fragliche Lesungen. Die Schlussfolgerungen sind zum Teil problematisch. Die Mehrheit der Siegel stammt von Verträgen, Bestätigungen, Rechtsgeschäften (incl. Zeugen) usw., nicht von Briefen. Das vorgestellte Material erlaubt noch keinen Rückschluss auf den byzantinischen Namen des Ortes. – Seibt. [1417]

Métivier S., *Sceaux des Musées de Kayseri et de Niğde (Cappadoce Byzantine)*. – **Cheyne J.-C./Sode C.** (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10*. (Nr. 1415) 61–74. – Aus Kayseri stammen drei Siegel und eine Tessera des 11. Jh. (1. Interessantes Siegel eines Aaron Protospatharios mit unklarem Ende; 3. metrisches Siegel des Eugenios, Metropolit von Kaisareia, der 1071 belegt ist), aus Niğde 14 frühe und ein spätes Stück. Ioannes, Bischof von Faustinupolis im späteren 7. Jh. (Nr. 13), könnte auch von der Hauptstadt aus an seine Diözese geschrieben haben. – Seibt. [1418]

Prigent V., *Notes sur l'évolution de l'administration byzantine en Adriatique (VIIIe–IXe siècle)*. MEFROM 102/2 (2008) 393–417. – Neben vielen guten Ansätzen auch weniger überzeugende Hypothesen. Zwei Siegel des 9. Jh. von κατεπάνω τοῦ ΛΑΥ werden Ragusa/Dubrovnik zugewiesen. Der Versuch, das Siegel des Kommandanten der Bürgermiliz der damals (720/760) autonomen Stadt Dyrrachion (Seibt/Zarnitz 2.3.8) einer dort stationierten kaiserlichen Garnison von Numeri zuzuweisen, geht sicher in die Irre. Auch ist der Terminus Archon sehr vielschichtig. Viele Regionen an der Adria waren zumindest zeitweise von Byzanz mehr oder weniger unabhängig, auch wenn sie den Kontakt zum Reich nicht ganz aufgaben. – Seibt. [1419]

Seibt W., *Das byzantinische Militärkommando „Iberia“*. – *Samecniero paradigmebi – Scientific Paradigms. Studies in Honour of Prof. Natela Vachnadze*. (Nr. 1694) 146–170. – S. 146–157 deutscher Originaltext, S. 158–170 Übersetzung ins Georgische. Von 1000 bis ca. 1074 sind 13 Katepano bzw. Dukes bekannt, teilweise in mehreren Rang-Positionen, ab 1045 mehrfach auch für Groß-Armenien (Ani) zuständig, ab 1064 zumindest gelegentlich auch für Kars (Vanand). Korrekturen zu mehreren Siegeln – Seibt. [1420]

Seibt W., *Übernahm der französische Normanne Hervé (Erbebios Phrangopolos) nach der Katastrophe von Mantzikert das Kommando über die verbliebene Ostarmee?* – **Cheyne J.-C./Sode C.** (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10*. (Nr. 1415) 89–96. – Hervé nennt sich auf zwei Siegeltypen ὁ Γάλλος, was auf seine Herkunft aus Frankreich hinweist. Für seine Karriere gibt es neue Informationen, 1071 nahm er als Proedros und Stratelates am Feldzug des Romanos Diogenes teil und übernahm nach dessen Gefangennahme kurzzeitig das Oberkommando (δικαία ὑπερέχων ἀκεφάλῃς τῆς Ἀνατολῆς). – Seibt. [1421]

Staurakos Ch., *Die byzantinischen Bleisiegel der Sammlung Konstantinos Kalantzis in Agrinion (Griechenland)*. – **Cheyne J.-C./Sode C.** (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10*. (Nr. 1415) 75–83. – Fünf Siegel und eine Plombe des 4.–7. bzw. 10.–13. Jh.s. Neu besonders Nr. 4: Konstantin Taronites (2. Hälfte 10. Jh.). – Seibt. [1422]

Stepanova E., *Victoria-Nike on early Byzantine seals*. – **Cheyne J.-C./Sode C.** (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10*. (Nr. 1415) 15–24. – Bei anonymen „Kaisersiegeln“ (manche mögen auch von bestimmten Beamten verwendet worden sein) erscheint die Victoria mit Lorbeerkränzen wohl ab dem späten 4. Jh., das erste mit einem Kaisernamen stammt von Zeno. Unter Justinian wird Victoria durch Kreuze „verchristlicht“, für Justin II. kennen wir keinen sicheren Beleg mehr, er ersetzte Victoria vielmehr durch die Theotokos (diese Erkenntnis sollte sich langsam durchsetzen). Auf privaten Siegeln des späteren 6. bzw. 7. Jh. (Alexandros, Theodoros und einem anonymen Typ mit Anrufungsmonogramm) hat Nike andere Beizeichen. Teilweise mag sich „Nike“ ideell in Richtung „Tyche“ entwickelt haben. – Seibt. [1423]

Stepanova E. V., *Cerkovnye ierarchi Fessaloniki (po dannym pečatej sobranija Gosudarstvennogo Ermitaža)*. – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov*.

(Nr. 1667) 215–222, T. 21–23. – Neun Siegel von Erzbischöfen von Thessaloniki aus dem 7.–12. Jh., z.T. neue Typen. Die Legende des am Ende beige-fügten Fotos (vgl. dazu auch Anm. 36) lautet wohl Μάρτυς, Λέοντα μάγιστρον Ψελλὸν σκέποις. Auch ein Siegel desselben Leon Psellos als Dishypatos befindet sich in der Ermitaž (M-10939). – Seibt. [1424

Vojkov I., *Християнски печат от Абритус* (Christliches Siegel aus Abritus). – **Aladžova D./Božkova A./Delev P./Nikolov V./Prešlenov Ch.** (Hrsg.), *Сборник в памет на професор Велизар Велков* (Nr. 1699) 465–467. – Ins Fragment eines Tongefäßes ist ein kreuzförmiges Siegel eingeritzt. Das Kreuz ist mit griechischem Text ausgefüllt: „Heilige Gottesmutter, unterstütze das Werk des Tot“. Es wird angenommen, dass es ein gotischer Name ist, und davon wird das Diminutivum Totila abgeleitet. Die Form des Auslaufs des Gefäßes ist für Werke von Töpfern in bulgarischen Landen im 5.–6. Jh. unüblich. Der Fund stammt aus den Ruinen der römischen Stadt Abritus (im heutigen Nordost-bulgarien) und ist Beleg einer sesshaften gotischen Bevölkerung in der Region. – Nikolov. [1425

Wassiliou-Seibt A. K., *Der Name Alexios Kontostephanos Komnenos – Identifizierungsvorschläge anhand sigillographischer Funde.* – **Cheyne J.-C./Sode C.** (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10.* (Nr. 1415) 25–32. – Von den drei metrischen Siegeltypen von Alexioi Kontostephanoi etwa aus der 2. Hälfte des 12. Jh. wird der erste, der als Vater Stephanos πανσεβαστοῦ πέρτατος nennt, dem zweitgeborenen Sohn dieses Mannes (und Enkel Ioannes' II.) zugewiesen, der 1176 umkam, der zweite Typus (Κομνηνὸς μητρόθεν) einem Sohn des Andronikos, der jung (vor 1156) verstarb, der dritte (πορφυροβλαστέγγονος) einem Sohn des Andronikos Megas Dux, der 1195 zum Kaiser ausgerufen wurde, aber scheiterte. – Seibt. [1426

Wassiliou-Seibt A. K., *Die Träger des Familiennamens Kastamonites im 11. Jahrhundert. Eine prosopographisch-sigillographische Studie.* – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov.* (Nr. 1667) 223–233, T. 23–25. – Von den 19 Siegeltypen (und drei literarischen Erwähnungen) stammt ein einziges Siegel aus der Zeit vor der Mitte des 11. Jh., die anderen sind jünger und reichen bis ins frühere 12. Jh. Man geht davon aus, dass nicht alle Personen mit diesem Herkunftsnamen ein und derselben Familie angehörten. Am Ende zwei Korrekturen zu älteren Fehllesungen. – Seibt. [1427

b. Kataloge und Beiträge zu Einzelfunden

Auktion Gorny & Mosch 190, 11.10.2010. 603–604 Siegel. – 603 Kaisersiegel des Botaneiates; 604 fehlerhaft gelesenes Andrapoda-Siegel des Theophanes ἀπὸ ἐπάρχων (696/697), parallel zu Cheynet, Zacos 26. – Seibt. [1428

Auktion Gorny & Mosch 191, 11.–12.10.2010. 2681–2696 Siegel. – 2681 Kaisersiegel des Ioannes III. Dukas Batatzes; 2682 Georgios Patrikios und Theophylaktos, Kommerkiarier von Isaurien und Lykaonien (692/693); 2683

Kommerkia von Thrake (?) (831/832?); 2686 metrisches Siegel eines Nanes Liparites (12. Jh.); 2691 Theodotos, Spathar und Xenodochos (2. Hälfte 9. Jh.); 2694 Ioannes Aplespharios (1. Hälfte 12. Jh.); 2696 Ephraim (ΕΥΦΡΑΙΜ geschrieben). – Seibt. [1429]

Auktion Münz Zentrum Rheinland 156, 1.–2. 9. 2010. 902–924 byzantinische Bleisiegel. – 912 interessanter Typus eines Michael Kandidatos (frühes 8. Jh.); 913: Beim metrischen Siegel des Theoktistos ergibt Laurents σκέπουσα einen Zwölfsilber, Weisers ἐνέπουσα dagegen nicht; 916 vielleicht ein Bischof von Bonditza (nur ..ΝΔVT sicher); zu 917 vgl. Cheynet, TM 12 (1994) 404, Nr. 22; 919 interessantes Siegel eines Theophylaktos als Stratege von Adana und Mamistra; der Familienname lautete wohl eher Sarantenos oder Saronites als Sant(abarenos); 920 eher ein Bischof von Sibylla als von Sidymon. – Seibt. [1430]

Auktion Rauch (Wien) 86, 12.–14. 5. 2010. – 1427 f. frühbyzantinische Bleisiegel mit Monogrammen. – Seibt. [1431]

Aukton Hirsch (München) 267, 5.–7. 5. 2010. 859–893 Bleisiegel. – Ehem. Sammlung Bazant (Wien). 864 Galaton Notarios (9. Jh.); 865 Basileios, Kurator τοῦ Μαγίστρου (2. H. 9. Jh.); 868 Konstantin, Protospathar und Stratege von Thessaloniki (10. Jh.); 872 Kalokyros Kausosideres, Asekretis (1010/1060); 875 Isnam, Manglabites und Protonotar (1020/1060); 880 Theophylaktos, Richter von Aigaion Pelagos (1030/1060); 885 Theophylaktos Ergodotes, Hypatos und Ethnarch (Mitte 11. Jh.); 887 Diomedes-Kloster in Konstantinopel (letztes Drittel 11. Jh.); 889 Kaiserin Maria („von Alanien“), Gattin Michaels VII. und Nikephoros' III.; 893 Andronikos Kappadox Kalampakes (13. Jh.). – Seibt. [1432]

Aukton Hirsch 269, 23.–24. 9. 2010. 3056–3058 Bleisiegel. – 3056 Kaisersiegel des Maurikios; 3057 f. metrische Siegel von Romanos Protoproedros und Anzas Ioannes. – Seibt. [1433]

Cheyne J.-Ch./Theodoridis D., *Sceaux byzantins de la collection D. Theodoridis. Les sceaux patronymiques.* CNRS, Centre de recherche d'histoire et civilisation de Byzance, Monographies, 33. Paris, ACHCByz 2010. 274 p. ill. ISBN 978-2-916716-24-4. – Berger. [1434]

Dimitrov Ja., *Tri olovni pečata ot terenni obchoždanija prez 2006 g. vŭv vŭtrešnja grad na Pliska* (Three molybdebullae from terrain surveys of the inner town of Pliska in 2006). – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov.* (Nr. 1667) 251–262, T. 26. – Alle drei Typen sind schon bekannt: Anonymes Siegel des Zaren Symeon, Pisota Vardarios, Bardas Balneas. – Seibt. [1435]

Prigent V., *Monnaies et sceaux de plomb d'époque normande dans le médaillier du Muse Antonino Salinas de Palerme.* (Nr. 1399). – Seibt.

Seals published (2002–2006) und Catalogue of Auctions (2002–2006). – **Cheyne J.-C./Sode C.** (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10.* (Nr. 1415)

– Annotierte Bibliographie der in diesen Jahren in Aufsätzen und Auktionskatalogen (nicht in Monographien!) publizierten Siegel. – Seibt. [1436]

c. Einzelsiegel

Campagnolo-Pothitou M., *Le sceau unique de Constantin Lascaris Comnène, l'empereur non couronné Constantin XI (1204–1205)*. Genava 57 (2009) 209–216. 3 Abb. – Dennert. [1437]

Cheyne J.-C., *Un nouveau boullôtèrion découvert en Turquie*. – **Cheyne J.-C./Sode C.** (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10*. (Nr. 1415) 97–98. – Siegelzange eines Komitas aus dem 7. Jh. im Museum Halûk Perk. – Seibt. [1438]

Grigorov V., *Новооткрит печат на цар Петър и царица Мария* (A newly discovered seal of tsar Petăr and tsaritsa Maria from Pliska). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 189–193. 1 photo. Bulgarian with English summary. – With vertical inscription of five Greek letters: EV(Σ)E(B)HΣ. Probably from the period 945–959. – Nikolov. [1439]

Jordanov I., *Новооткрит печат на Стефан, митрополит на Йоанопол (70-те години на X в.)* (A newly discovered seal of Stephen, metropolitan of Joanopol. 70ies of the 10th c.). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 195–198. With English summary. – Dated between 971 and 986. – Nikolov. [1440]

Kyučukova I./Jordanov I., *Византийските тъкани и българският владетелски двор (X в.) (Печат на епарха, химатин и екзонрат Филотей, намерен в Преслав)* (Nr. 1347). – Nikolov.

Nesbitt J. W., *An unpublished seal of the Patriarch of Constantinople and New Rome, Stephanos II (925–927)*. – **Cheyne J.-C./Sode C.** (Hrsg.), *Studies in Byzantine Sigillography 10*. (Nr. 1415) 85–87. – Seibt. [1441]

Penčev V., *Molivdovul na vselenskija patriarch Grigorij II (1283–1289), proizchoždašt ot Bŭlgarija*. – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov*. (Nr. 1667) 278. – Ein weiteres Siegel des Patriarchen Gregorios Kyprios, aus Bulgarien. – Seibt. [1442]

Prigent V./Morrisson C./Papadopoulou P., *Quatre tessères de plomb et un portrait de l'empereur Chistophore Lécapène*. – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov*. (Nr. 1667) 201–213, T. 20–21. – Bei einem recht problematischen Typus von Blei-Tesserae, wo auf dem Rv. die Kaiser Romanos (Lakapenos), Christophoros und Konstantin (VII.) genannt sind, wird die nimbierte Kaiser-ähnliche Büste auf dem Av. mit der Beischrift XR-OR auf den Mitkaiser Christophoros bezogen und in Verbindung mit der Hochzeit der Kaisertochter Maria mit dem Bulgarenzar Peter (927) gebracht. – Seibt. [1443]

Seibt W., *Maximos – Raximir – Draximir, Anthropos des Kuropalates (1057–1059)*. – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov*. (Nr. 1667) 247–250, T. 25, Nr. 5–7. – Auf einem Siegelfragment aus Bulgarien wurde zunächst ein Maximos Protonotarios vermutet. Ein Parallelstück aus der Sammlung des Autors ließ das zu Raximir, Protospatharios und Anthropos des Kuropalates korrigieren. Der Mann ist wohl identisch mit Draximir, Protospatharios Hypatos und Anthropos des Kuropalates und Domestikos des Westens, womit eindeutig der Kaiserbruder Ioannes Komnenos (1057–1059) gemeint ist. – Seibt. [1444]

Stepanenکو V. P., *Fers Cocikij, antipat patrikij i stratig Kappadokii (1000–1022)* (Pherses Tzotzikios, Anthypatos, Patrikios and Strategos of Cappadocia [1000–1022]). – *Studia in honorem professoris Ivan Jordanov*. (Nr. 1667) 235–245; T. 25, Nr. 4. – Das Siegel der Ermitaž (es stammt aus Cherson) ist dem von DOSeals IV 43.13 sehr ähnlich. Es ist nicht sicher, dass dieser Mann mit dem 1022 hingerichteten Pherses identisch ist, die Siegel könnten durchaus etwas jünger sein. – Seibt. [1445]

9. EPIGRAPHIK

A. ALLGEMEINE DARSTELLUNGEN

Agosti G., *Cultura greca negli epigrammi epigrafici di età tardoantica*. (Nr. 44). – D'Aiuto.

Agosti G., *Dal cielo alla terra: epigrammi epigrafici e filosofi nel tardoantico*. (Nr. 45). – D'Aiuto.

Hoyland R., *Arab Kings, Arab tribes and the beginnings of Arab historical memory in late Roman epigraphy*. (Nr. 866). – Kaegi.

Stefec R., *Anmerkungen zu einigen handschriftlich überlieferten Epigrammen in epigraphischer Auszeichnungsmajuskel*. (Nr. 60). – Rhoby.

Vinogradov A. Ju., *Два каталога византийских предметов Государственного Эрмитажа: взгляд эпиграфиста* (Two catalogues of Byzantine objects from the State Hermitage: a view of an epigraphist). VV 68 (93) (2009) 243–248. – Ivanov. [1446]

Yangaki A., *North Syrian mortaria and other late Roman personal and utility objects bearing inscriptions of good luck*. (Nr. 1345). – Foskolou.

B. SAMMLUNGEN UND EINZELDARSTELLUNGEN

(cc) Griechenland

Festland und nahegelegene Inseln

Kiourtzian G., *Épigraphie et photographie: retour sur un sarcophage thessalonicien*. REB 66 (2008) 221–231. – Nouvelle édition d'une inscription métrique très lacunaire en vers dodécasyllabiques (présente sur un sarcophage conservé au Musée de Civilisation byzantine de Thessalonique, trouvé dans la région de l'Heptapyrgion), basée sur deux photographies des archives d'A. Zachos, datant des années 1912–1917 et publiées en 2002. Les photographies permettent une lecture plus complète de l'inscription d'origine et confirment que le sarcophage avait appartenu à Théodôros Kéraméas, archevêque d'Ochrid au XIIIe s. – Ronconi. [1447]

Chouliaras I. P., *Η κτητορική επιγραφή του ναού των Αγίων Αναργύρων στα Σέρβια Κοζάνης*. (Nr. 942). – Kotzabassi.

(dd) Asiatische Türkei

Bithynien und Pontos

Adak M./Akyürek Şahin N. E./Güneş M. Y., *Neue Inschriften im Museum von Bolu (Bithynion/Klaudiupolis)*. Gephyra 5 (2008) 73–120. Abb. – Nr. 35 Schrankenplatte mit Kreuzen und Zitat nach Mt. 1, 23; Nr. 36 Altar mit Christogramm, Tauben, Kreuz; Nr. 37 monolithisches Taufbecken aus Marmor mit Weihung eines Alexandros; Nr. 38 Grabstele mit auf einem Reliefkreuz angeordneten Grabinschrift eines Presbyters Polychronis; Nr. 53 Unbeschriftetes Taufbecken aus lokalem Kalkstein. – Dennert. [1448]

Lykien und Pamphylien

Onur F./Papagiannaki E., *A late antique flask from Side with a curse inscription*. (Nr. 1333). – Dennert.

(ff) Vorderer Orient, Afrika

Jordanien

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Crisciani C./Repici L./Rossi P. B. (a cura di), *Vita longa. Vecchiaia e durata della vita nella tradizione medica e aristotelica antica e medieval. Atti del convegno internazionale (Torino, 13–14 giugno 2008)*. Micrologus' Library, 33. Tavar-nuzze-Impruneta (Firenze), SISMEL-Edizioni del Galluzzo 2009. XIV, 208 p. ill. ISBN 978-88-8450-346-6. – Collection of 8 essays on elderly from the medical aspects of elderly in classical antiquity (M. M. Sassi, “Normalità e patologia della vecchiaia nella medicina antica”) to 14th-century commentaries on life's length based on Aristotle (M. Dunne, “The causes of the length and brevity of life call for investigation: Aristotle's De longitudine et brevitae vitae in the 13th and 14th century commentaries”), including elderly in Aristotle (L. Repici, “Tutto invecchia per opera del tempo. Senilità e senescenza in Aristotele”) and Avicenna (Ch. Crisciani, “Età avanzata e qualità della vita nel ‘Canone’ di Avicenna”). – Touwaide. [1561]

De Sensi Sestito G. (a cura di), *L'arte di Asclepio. Medici e malattie in età antica. Atti della giornata di Studio sulla medicina antica. Università della Calabria 26 ottobre 2005*. Società Antiche. Storia, Culture, Territori, 9. Soveria Manelli, Rubbettino 2008. IX, 220 p. ISBN 978-88-498-2047-8. – Though mainly focused on the Magna Grecia, offers two contributions of interest for the study of diseases and medicinals in later periods: M. Ielo, “Il medico e la malattia: disturbi polmonari nel Corpus Hippocraticum”, and J. B. Tromper, “Da allucinogeno e medicinale nell'antichità a bevanda ben conosciuta: la birra e la complessa storia di alcuni Wandwörter”. Of interest also: M. Cricelli, “La medicina greca di IV e III secolo a.C. attraverso alcune iscrizioni di Epidauro”, and C. Citraro, “Osservazioni etimologiche sul lessico della medicina nell'antica Grecia”. – Touwaide. [1562]

Diamandopoulos A., *Joannes Zacharias Actuarius. A witness of late Byzantine uroscopy, closely linked with Thessaloniki*. Nephrology Dialysis Transplantation 16 (2001) 2–3. – Review of Joannes Actuarius' extended treatise on uroscopy “Περὶ οὐρῶν”. The author describes the literary character of the treatise and evaluates its medical value. – Telelis. [1563]

Ewers M., *Marcellus Empiricus: De medicamentis. Christliche Abhandlung über Barmherzigkeit oder abergläubische Rezeptsammlung?* Bochumer Altertumswissenschaftliches Colloquium, 83. Trier, Wissenschaftlicher Verlag 2009. 185 S. Graph. Darst. ISBN 978-3-86821-193-1. – Analysis of the relations vs. conflict between pagan medicine and Christianity, leading to an open conclu-

sion on Marcellus' faith. Important question, but inconclusive work, severely flawed in its method and concepts. – Touwaide. [1564]

Ferrero Hernández C., *Liber contra venena et animalia venenosa de Juan Gil de Zamora. Estudio preliminar, edición crítica y traducción*. Barcelona, Reial Acadèmia de Bones Lletres 2009. 415 p. ISBN 978-84-933284-4-3. – Critical edition of the treatise on venoms and poisons by Juan Gil de Zamora (d. ca. 1318) based, among others, on a high number of classical, early-medieval and post-Salernitan works (listed p. 52), whose fortuna it contributes to illustrate. The Latin text (based on two manuscripts described on p. 63–66) is provided with a critical apparatus and followed by a Spanish version with notes of commentary. Includes an index of materia medica. – Touwaide. [1565]

Fingernagel A., *Medizin im Mittelalter – Wissenstransfer zwischen den Kulturen*. – **Fingernagel A.** (Hrsg.), *Juden, Christen und Muslime. Interkultureller Dialog in alten Schriften*. (Nr. 1730) 73–175. – Darin vor allem die Unterkapitel „Nachfolge in der Spätantike. Die Schule von Alexandria und der Anteil von Byzanz“ und „Ein spätantikes Original: ‚Der Wiener Dioskurides‘ und seine Rezeptionsgeschichte“. – Rhoby. [1566]

Fortuna S./Urso A. M., „*Burgundio da Pisa traduttore di Galeno: nuovi contributi e prospettive*“. – **Garofalo I./Lami A./Roselli A.** (a cura di), *Sulla tradizione indiretta dei testi medici greci: Atti del II Seminario internazionale di Siena, Certosa di Pontignano, 19–20 settembre 2008*. (Nr. 1568) 139–175. Con un'appendice di Paola Annese. – Examination of the Latin translation from Greek of Galen's commentary on the Hippocratic *de victus ratione in morbis acutis* IV attributed here to Burgundio on the basis of a close scrutiny of the translation method. – Touwaide. [1567]

Garofalo I./Lami A./Roselli A. (a cura di), *Sulla tradizione indiretta dei testi medici greci: Atti del II Seminario internazionale di Siena, Certosa di Pontignano, 19–20 settembre 2008*. Biblioteca di „Galenos“, 2. Pisa/Roma, Fabrizio Serra Editore, 2009. 238 p. ISBN 978-88-6227-138-7. – The relevant articles are listed as nos. 1567, 1569, 1570, 1572, 1582, 1583, 1586, 1589, 1590. – Touwaide. [1568]

Garofalo I., „*Il falso commento di Galeno al De humoribus e un saggio di edizione del vero*“. – **Garofalo I./Lami A./Roselli A.** (a cura di), *Sulla tradizione indiretta dei testi medici greci: Atti del II Seminario internazionale di Siena, Certosa di Pontignano, 19–20 settembre 2008*. (Nr. 1568) 201–218. – The fake text of the commentary is to be found in the manuscript Coislianus 163 copied by Andreas Darmarios (well known for his many falsifications of texts) and annotated by Galen's editor Giovanni Battista Rasario, who is almost certainly the author of this fake. The authentic text, instead, can be found in extracts in Oribasius, Paul of Egina, and in Arabic (including later developments). – Touwaide. [1569]

Giorgianni F., „*Tradizione e selezione del Corpus Hippocraticum nel De corporis humani fabrica di Teofilo*“. – **Garofalo I./Lami A./Roselli A.** (a cura di),

Sulla tradizione indiretta dei testi medici greci: Atti del II Seminario internazionale di Siena, Certosa di Pontignano, 19–20 settembre 2008. (Nr. 1568) 43–77. – Theophilus (at the latest 10th c.), his works, *De humani corporis fabrica*, and Theophilus' method of excerpting: extracts, citations (direct and indirect, with or without variants). – Touwaide. [1570]

Gurunluoglu R./Gurunluoglu A., *Paul of Aegina: landmark in surgical progress.* *World Journal of Surgery* 27/1 (2003) 18–25. – Review of the 6th book of Paul of Aegina's (7th century A.D.) "Epitome of Medicine" devoted to surgery, and evaluation of the role of Paul of Aegina in the history of surgery. From the abstract: "Paul of Aegina gave us novel descriptions of tracheotomy, tonsillectomy, catheterization of the bladder, lithotomy, inguinal hernia repair, abdominal paracentesis for ascites, and many other surgical procedures including reduction of breast size. He not only influenced those in his own era but had great influence on physicians such as Rhazes, Haly Abbas, Albucasis, Avicenna, and Fabricius ab Aquapendente, who lived in subsequent eras". The paper should be examined in relation to a letter to the editors of the journal addressed by Lascaratos J./Tsiamis C./Voros D., *World Journal of Surgery* 27/1 (2003) 1336. The authors of the letter suggest that Paul of Aegina adopted many of the surgical methods of his predecessors, especially Oribasius and Aetius, and he added significant original elements from his personal experience. – Telelis. [1571]

Ieraci Bio A. M., *"Galeno e lo Ps. Alessandro di Afrodisia in due Lyseis di Giovanni Argiropulo"*. – **Garofalo I./Lami A./Roselli A.** (a cura di), *Sulla tradizione indiretta dei testi medici greci: Atti del II Seminario internazionale di Siena, Certosa di Pontignano, 19–20 settembre 2008.* (Nr. 1568) 177–185. – Analysis of two of Argyropoulos' Problems: no. 9, based on Galen, *Ars medica*, and nos. 9 and 11, based on *De febribus* attributed to Alexander of Aphrodisia. – Touwaide. [1572]

Kalantzes G./Tsiamas K., *Ορειβάσιος και Παύλος Αιγινήτης. Δύο βυζαντινοί ιατροί, πρωτοπόροι στην πλαστική χειρουργική.* *Αρχαία Ελληνικής Ιατρικής* 23(5) (2006) 536–540. – On the basis of the scientific work of the Byzantine physicians Oribasius and Paul of Aegina their knowledge and experience in performing reconstructive procedures is evaluated. From the abstract of the paper: "Reconstructive procedures for defects of the eyelids, forehead, cheeks, nose and ears are described in detail. Advancement flaps are recommended for the reconstruction of facial defects, and suggestions are made about debridement, flap design and thickness of flaps. In the texts of two Byzantine doctors we trace the first significant descriptions of plastic and reconstructive procedures. Undoubtedly, Greek, Roman and Byzantine surgeons had the knowledge and experience to be able to perform several types of reconstructive operations in the face. This knowledge was transmitted to the Arabs and then to Western Europe in the 15th century, and became part of the foundation for modern plastic surgery." – Telelis. [1573]

Laskaratos I./Tsiamas K., *Η νόσος του άνθρακα στο Βυζάντιο. Οι περιπτώσεις των Βυζαντινών αυτοκρατόρων Κων/νου Ε' (741–775) και Λέοντα Δ' (775–780)*. Δελτίο Ελληνικής Μικροβιολογικής Εταιρείας 46 (6) (2001) 650–656. – Presentation of the anthrax disease in the Byzantine era and of two possible cases of cutaneous anthrax of the emperors Constantine V and Leo IV. Though the majority of the Byzantine authors confirm that their death was caused by the disease of anthrax, an ex post facto diagnosis of the disease based on the historical reports is difficult due to reservations for historical reasons: the iconophile Byzantine authors had a strong negative preconception against the two iconoclast emperors and tended to vilify them in the worst possible way. – Telelis. [1574]

Lazaris S., *Art et science vétérinaire à Byzance. Formes et fonctions de l'image hippiatrice*. Bibliologia: Elementa ad librorum studia pertinentia, 29. Turnhout, Brepols 2010. VI, 288 S. ISBN 978-2-503-53446-6. – Macé. [1575]

Lechat M. F., *The palaeoepidemiology of leprosy: an overview*. – **Roberts Ch. A./Lewis M. E./Manchester K.** (eds.), *The past and present of leprosy. Archaeological, historical, palaeopathological and clinical approaches. Proceedings of the International Congress on the Evolution and Palaeoepidemiology of the Infections Diseases 3 (ICEPID), University of Bradford, 26th–31st July 1999*. (Nr. 1777) 157–162. – Touwaide. [1576]

Lherminier G., “*Un épisode de l'histoire du texte de Paul d'Égine au XIV^e siècle: les deux copies de Pierre Télémaque*” *Revue d'histoire des textes* n.s. 5 (2010) 1–23. – Analysis of two mid-14th c. manuscripts attributed to Petros Telemachos (Parisinus Coislianus 168 and Salmanticensis gr. 7) deriving from the codex Athous Lavra Γ 90, 10th cent. Study of the copyist, who appears to be an erudite, perhaps a physician, who had access to a book collection, possibly in contact with the monasteries on Mount Athos. Characteristically, he revised several times the Coislianus, using other models than the Athous. – Touwaide. [1577]

López Pérez M., *Ginecología y patología sexual femenina en las Colecciones Médicas de Orebasio*. BAR International series, 2060. Oxford, Archaeopress 2010. X, 207 p. ill., drawings, maps. ISBN 978-1-4073-0551-6. – Publication of a doctoral thesis that can be divided in four main parts: 1. a wide-ranging introduction, with the general structure of the Collectiones medicae, the biography of Oreibasios, his works; 2. an overview of the concepts on female body through classical medico-gynecological texts; 3. gynecology in Oreibasios' work, with three major divisions: the passages devoted to the topic, the therapy of female pathologies, and uterine pathology; 4. the passages on gynecology in Oreibasios' works. – Touwaide. [1578]

Mitchell P. D., *The myth of spread of leprosy with the crusades*. – **Roberts Ch. A./Lewis M. E./Manchester K.** (eds.), *The past and present of leprosy. Archaeological, historical, palaeopathological and clinical approaches. Proceedings of the International Congress on the Evolution and Palaeoepidemiology of the*

Infections Diseases 3 (ICEPID), University of Bradford, 26th–31st July 1999. (Nr. 1777) 171–178. – Touwaide. [1579]

Molto J. E., *Leprosy in Roman period skeletons from Kellis 2, Dakhleh, Egypt.* – **Roberts Ch. A./Lewis M. E./Manchester K.** (eds.), *The past and present of leprosy. Archaeological, historical, palaeopathological and clinical approaches. Proceedings of the International Congress on the Evolution and Palaeoepidemiology of the Infections Diseases 3 (ICEPID)*, University of Bradford, 26th–31st July 1999. (Nr. 1777) 179–192. – Touwaide. [1580]

Nappi C. S., *The monkey and the inkpot. Natural history and its transformations in early modern China.* Cambridge (MA) and London (UK), Harvard University Press 2009. XII, 234 p. ill. ISBN 978-0-674-03529-4. – Though not directly related to Byzantium – even though Greek medicine arrived to China through the Arabic world and India –, is relevant for its deconstruction of the idea that the Bencao gangmu (Systematic materia medica) by Li Shizhen (1518–1593) results from a monolithic tradition. Nappi highlights the disagreements and debates within Chinese medical culture in a way that can be applied to the analysis of the Byzantine tradition of materia medica. – Touwaide. [1581]

Overwien O., “Die Bedeutung der orientalischen Tradition für die antike Überlieferung des hippokratischen Eides”. – **Garofalo I./Lami A./Roselli A.** (a cura di), *Sulla tradizione indiretta dei testi medici greci: Atti del II Seminario internazionale di Siena, Certosa di Pontignano, 19–20 settembre 2008.* (Nr. 1568) 79–103. – Analysis of the tradition of the Hippocratic Oath in the Arabic World for its value as both a source for the history of the Greek text and a witness of the medieval techniques of commentary. – Touwaide. [1582]

Palmieri N., “L’Ippocrate latino tardoantico: qualche esempio di bilinguismo imperfetto”. – **Garofalo I./Lami A./Roselli A.** (a cura di), *Sulla tradizione indiretta dei testi medici greci: Atti del II Seminario internazionale di Siena, Certosa di Pontignano, 19–20 settembre 2008.* (Nr. 1568) 11–26. – Analysis of samples of translation from *de victus ratione*, *de aeribus*, *aquis*, *locis*, and *prognostikon* on the question of the methods of translation. – Touwaide. [1583]

Pardalidis N./Tsiamis C./Diamantis A./Andriopoulos N./Sofikitis N., *Methods of lithotripsy in Ancient Greece and Byzantium.* Journal of Urology 178/4 (2007) 1182–1183. – Presentation of the medical methods of lithotripsy applied by ancient Greek and Byzantine physicians, and their influence on the development of surgery after that time through the analysis of texts of Byzantine medical writers. From the abstract of the paper: “The Byzantine method of lithotripsy was the result of the eternal knowledge of the spasmolytic, analgesic and lithotriptic effect of various herbs, together with ancient surgical techniques of stone removal from Hellenistic and Roman periods. No operation was attempted for the extraction of stones from kidneys. Rather the idea was to drop the stones to the bladder or into the urethra, or dilute them into smaller pieces with various herbs. Ancient Greek and Byzantine physicians described

conservative and surgical methods, derived from the texts of early surgeons, to which they added their own observations.” – Telelis. [1584]

Podolak P./Heßler J. E., *Soranos von Ephesos, Περί ψυχῆς. Sammlung der Testimonien, Kommentar und Einleitung*. Beiträge zur Alterumskunde, 279. Berlin, De Gruyter 2010. 193 S. ISBN 978-3-11-022582-2. – Collection of 40 fragments (p. 111–129), followed by a commentary (p. 131–171), of a work on the soul by the physician Soranos of Ephesus, with a detailed introduction on the Hellenistic discourse on the soul and an analysis of Soranus’ thinking. The sources used for this reconstruction include the Byzantine monk Meletios author of a treatise of Christian medical anthropology. – Touwaide. [1585]

Pormann P. E., “*Al-Kaskarī (10th cent.) and the quotations of classical authors. A philological study*”. – **Garofalo I./Lami A./Roselli A.** (a cura di), *Sulla tradizione indiretta dei testi medici greci: Atti del II Seminario internazionale di Siena, Certosa di Pontignano, 19–20 settembre 2008*. (Nr. 1568) 105–138. – The medical compendium by Al-Kaskarī contained in a unicum (Istanbul, Ayasofya 3716) contains a significant number of data about Greek medical texts not otherwise known and offers secondary evidence for the textual tradition and practical application of Greek texts in later periods, namely in the Arabic world. – Touwaide. [1586]

Pulaku-Rempelaku E./Tsiamas K., *Το θανατηφόρο νόσημα του αυτοκράτορα Ιουστινίου Β΄ (565–578 μ.Χ.)*. Ελληνική Ογκολογία 44/1 (2008) 17–21. – The urological fatal disease of the Byzantine emperor Justin II is commented and analyzed through the presentation of accounts from Byzantine historiography. The high level of Byzantine surgery in this case proved completely unsuccessful and Justin II died in suffer. In those times there was not anesthesia, analgesia, antisepsis and units of increased post-operative care. – Telelis. [1587]

Roberts Ch. A./Lewis M. E./Manchester K. (eds.), *The past and present of leprosy. Archaeological, historical, palaeopathological and clinical approaches. Proceedings of the International Congress on the Evolution and Palaeoepidemiology of the Infections Diseases 3 (ICEPID), University of Bradford, 26th–31st July 1999*. (Nr. 1777). – Touwaide.

Rosa P. (a cura di), *Galenus, De motu musculorum. Edizione critica, traduzione, comment*. Biblioteca di “Galenos”, 1. Pisa/Roma, Fabrizio Serra 2009. XL, 49 p. ISBN 978-88-6227-137-0. – The introduction proceeds according to the template of the Collection des Universités de France: date of the work, structure and contents, inventory of manuscripts according to Diels’ catalogue (9 items), stemma codicum, citations (here: Oribasius), printed editions, Arabic and Syriac translations, Renaissance Latin translations, and translations into modern languages. Greek text (with apparatus criticus) with facing Italian translation (with notes of commentary), and select index verborum. – Touwaide. [1588]

Roselli A., *Testi medici greci. Tradizione indiretta e pratiche editoriali*. – **Garofalo I./Lami A./Roselli A.** (a cura di), *Sulla tradizione indiretta dei testi medici*

greci: Atti del II Seminario internazionale di Siena, Certosa di Pontignano, 19–20 settembre 2008. (Nr. 1568) 219–234. – Analysis of the method for the edition used in recent critical editions of Greek medical texts, with a particular focus on the indirect tradition (the Hippocratic *De aeribus, aquis, locis*, Paris, 1996; Galen, minor anatomical treatises, Paris, 2005; Paul of Nikaia, Naples, 1996) in order to clarify the case of Galen, *Commentary on Fractures*, currently in preparation by the author of the essay. – Touwaide. [1589]

Savino Ch., *Dare ordine a Galeno. L'edizione di Giovanni Battista Rasario (1562–1563).* – **Garofalo I./Lami A./Roselli A.** (a cura di), *Sulla tradizione indiretta dei testi medici greci: Atti del II Seminario internazionale di Siena, Certosa di Pontignano, 19–20 settembre 2008.* (Nr. 1568) 187–199. – Examines the scholastic work on Galen's opera, mainly how Renaissance humanists and editors (specifically Rasario) determined the authenticity or not of texts transmitted under Galen's name, and sometimes manipulated such texts. – Touwaide. [1590]

Tsiames K., *Ιστορική και επιδημιολογική προσέγγιση της πανώλους κατά τους βυζαντινούς χρόνους (330–1453 μ.Χ.)* Ph.D. dissertation. Department of Medicine, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens 2010. 498 p. 34 ills, 39 tables, 4 annexes, summary. [no ISBN]. – Ph.D. dissertation that covers, from a historical and epidemiological point of view, all plague outbreaks that occurred in the history of the Byzantine Empire. The author compares documentary evidence on plagues with medical data regarding the clinical image and the epidemiological cycle of the plagues, as they are medically acceptable today. The plague of Justinian and the Black Death pandemic of 1347 are compared and analyzed through the study of their epidemic waves and their periodicity. For the plague of Justinian the author suggests that 1) the urbanization model of the Byzantine towns and their overpopulation deteriorated health conditions in towns; 2) there are several difficulties in identifying the type of the plagues because of the literary character of the descriptions; 3) the terms of “bubones” and “anthrax” in the documentary sources should not be connected with the outbreak of a plague whenever they are mentioned, because they are used not as symptoms but as signs of unhealthy condition of the glands and the epidermis; 4) the possibility that the plague of Justinian was active before the 6th c. should be rejected; 5) the harbor of Clysma at the Red Sea may be accepted as the possible entry of the plague into the Byzantine Empire; 6) the existence and the biological evolution of the bacterium *Yersinia pestis* in the phylogenetic structure of Africa gave a very aggressive pathogen in the 6th c., and 7) Palestine, Syria and Mesopotamia were enzootic epicenters of the plague that were producing epidemic outbreaks under certain environmental and climatic circumstances. – Telelis. [1591]

Tsiames K., *Ο λοιμός του Ιουστινιανού κατά τους Βυζαντινούς χρονογράφους και ιστορικούς.* (Nr. 766). – Telelis.

Tsiamis C., *Analgetics and hypnotics in ancient Greece and Byzantium.* *Hellenic Journal of Surgery* 76/1 (2004) 65–71. – Presentation of the various an-

algetics and hypnotics that were used in the ancient Greek and Byzantine periods. From the abstract of the paper: “The analgetic and hypnotic drugs of herbal, animal or mineral origin and the great variety of the medical prescriptions, proves the high scientific level of ancient Greek and Byzantine physicians. This fact had been recognized by the medical schools of Western Europe from the late Middle Ages until the dawn of the 18th century.” – Telelis. [1592]

Tsiamis C., *Behavior parallels between pagan and Christian epidemics (Thucydides Syndrome and Justinian plague)*. (Nr. 767). – Telelis.

Tsiamis C./Poulakou-Rebelakou E., *Rheumatic diseases and spa therapy during Byzantine times (330–1453 AD)*. *Analecta Historico Medica* 4 (2006) 211–215. – The descriptions of rheumatic diseases are common in Byzantine medical texts either because of recent experience or because of the ideas embodied in the ancient Greek and Hellenistic medical texts. The analysis of the medical ideas about the spa therapy for the treatment of rheumatic diseases during the Byzantine period was based on Hellenistic and Byzantine texts and shows that spa therapy was widespread in Byzantium as treatment of common rheumatic diseases. – Telelis. [1593]

Wallis F. (ed.), *Medieval medicine: a reader*. Readers in medieval civilizations and cultures, 15. Toronto, University of Toronto Press 2010. XXVII, 563 p. ill. ISBN 978-1-4426-0169-7. – Voluminous collection of texts (English translation of works originally in Latin, including late-antique Latin translations of Greek works such as, for example, Alexander of Tralles) on all aspects of medicine from late Antiquity to 1500. Each text is introduced by original comments by the compiler and translator. The scope is broad, from the Alexandrian curriculum and the transformation of medical practice “in a changing world” to “Satires and critiques of medicine” among others by Petrarch, with three major parts: 1. Early Medieval Europe (500–1100), including “Christianity, Disease, and Medicine” (with “Saints as Healers”, “Rituals of Healing”, “Medicine in Early Medieval Courts and Cloisters”, “Monastic Medicine in the Early Medieval West”, “The Medical Networks of Missionaries and Bishops”, and “Medicine in Anglo-Saxon England”); 2. Physica, with the advent and impact of academic medicine (1100–1500), including Salerno, the “Via Scholaris”, “Theory and Practice in Scholastic Medicine”, and, at the edge of medicine, medical astrology and medical alchemy; 3. Medicine and society in Europe during the period 1100–1500, with the analysis of disease, the actors of medicine, their action and ethics, as well as the structures for medical care (the hospital) and the cultivation of health. A remarkable collection that could serve as a model for a parallel and much-needed compilation on Byzantium. – Touwaide. [1594]

da Silva Veiga P. A., *Health and Medicine in Ancient Egypt. Magic and Science*. British Archaeology Reports [BAR] International Series, 1967. Oxford, Archaeopress 2009. XII, 80 p. ISBN 978-1-4073-0500-4. – List of the sources used for the study (Egyptian papyri), including some Greek papyri and mummies,

followed by an analysis of 16 major categories of pathologies (parasites, skin affections, diabetes, tuberculosis, leprosy, dwarfism, vascular diseases, eyes, trauma, cancer, teeth, digestive system, urinary tract, psychic troubles, genetic diseases, respiratory system) and a summary overview of the pharmaceutical treatments (with the materia medica of vegetal, animal, and mineral origin). An appendix on the Egyptian flora credited with medico-magico-religious properties. – Touwaide. [1595]

da Silva Veiga P. A., *Oncology and infections diseases in ancient Egypt. The Ebers Papyrus' treatise on tumours 857–877 and the cases found in ancient Egyptian human material*. Saarbrücken, VDM Verlag Dr. Müller 2009. 92 p. ill., maps. ISBN 978-3-639-16683-5. – This Master of Sciences dissertation in Bio-medical and Forensic Studies for Egyptology submitted to the University of Manchester, Faculty of Life Sciences, in 2008, will be useful for any assessment of cancer in antiquity and the Byzantine world, including for its list of plants prescribed for the treatment of tumours and liver diseases. – Touwaide. [1596]

E. AGRARWISSENSCHAFT

Bertholet F./Reber K. (eds.), *Jardins antiques. Grèce, Gaule, Rome*. Regards sur l'antiquité, 2. Gollion, Infolio 2010. IX, 191 p. ill. ISBN 978-2-88474-168-2. – Summary overview of some aspects of gardens in antiquity by scholars of the University of Lausanne, which may be of interest for the study of Byzantine gardens and aspects of garden culture: the kepos (K. Reber); the gardens in the Odyssey (D. Bouvier); sacred trees and places in the Celtic and Gallo-Roman worlds (Th. Luginbühl); the garden of medicinal plants (B. Maire); Roman gardens north of the Alps (M. E. Fuchs); funerary gardens (F. Bertholet). – Touwaide. [1597]

Croisille J.-M., *Paysages dans la peinture romaine: aux origines d'un genre pictural*. Antiqua, 13. Paris, Picard 2010. 157 p. ill. ISBN 978-2-7084-0865-4. – Well documented analysis of a pictural genre created in the Roman world between the mid 1st c. BC and the early 2nd c. AD, which is attested in the whole empire, including in the East and the provinces that became later parts of the Byzantine world. – Touwaide. [1598]

Lelli E. (a cura di), *L'agricoltura antica: i Geoponica di Cassiano Basso*. Con la collaborazione di Parlato G./Bernaschi C./Giannachi F. G. Soveria Mannelli (Catanzaro), Rubbettino 2010. ISBN 978-88-498-2389-9. – Greek text (based on Beckh's edition, Teubner, 1894, revised by E. Lelli and provided with some notes of critical apparatus), with facing Italian translation (with notes of commentary at the end of each of the two volumes) of the Geoponika by a group of Italian philologists listed on the verso of the title page. The translation is introduced by a long essay by E. Lelli on ancient agronomical and botanical science, the Geoponika (written in the 6th c. [p. XXXI] and circulated again during the 10th c. [ibid.]), the text of the work, its structure, the sources (ac-

tually the excerpta), the compilation method, an evaluation (“between science and folk-lore” [p. LXXV]), and the fortuna of the work, followed by a bibliography. – Touwaide. [1599]

McInerney J., *The cattle of the sun. Cows and culture in the world of the ancient Greeks*. Princeton/NJ/Oxford, Princeton University Press 2010. XVII, 340 p. ill., maps. ISBN 978-0-691-14007-0. – The importance of cattle in Greek society from the Bronze Age to the classical period, which determined not only activities, economy, religion and social uses, but also scientific knowledge and ethology. – Touwaide. [1600]

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14. BYZANZ UND DIE SLAVISCHE WELT (BIS ENDE 16. JAHRHUNDERT)

A. HOCHSPRACHLICHE UND VOLKSSPRACHLICHE LITERATUR

Anguševa A./Atanassova D./Bojadžiev A./Gagova N./Dimitrova M./Jovčeva M./Miltenova A./Slavova T./Stojkova A./Tasseva L., *История на българската средновековна литература* (Geschichte der bulgarischen mittelalterlichen Literatur). Sofia, Izdatelstvo «Iztok-Zapad» 2008. 775 S. 32 Farbill. ISBN 978-954-321-466-2. – Großangelegte Untersuchung mit einem enzyklopädischen Charakter, strukturiert nach chronologisch-thematischem Prinzip. Erfasst die Periode 9.–17. Jh. In mehreren Fällen werden Beziehungen zur byzantinischen Literatur hergestellt. Beigefügt ist umfangreiche Literatur. Das Buch ist mit Namensregister versehen. – Nikolov. [1810]

Bujan S., *La Chronique du Pretre de Dioclée: un faux document historique*. REB 66 (2008) 5–38. – L'analyse de l'histoire et de la circulation du texte de la Chronique du Pretre de Dioclée (considérée normalement la plus ancienne source narrative slave du sud et attribuée couramment au XIIe s.) démontre qu'il ne s'agit en effet que d'un faux, produit au XVIe s. par le bénédictin Orbin (qui aurait utilisé, entre autres, des sources byzantines, comme Zônaras, Nicétas Chôniatès, Nichépore Grégoras), dans le cadre d'une opération de propagande visée à légitimer le parti pro-vénitien face à la menace ottomane. L'édition latine de Lucius (XVIIe s.) ne serait qu'une rétroversion du texte italien d'Orbin. – Ronconi. [1811]

Miltenova A., *Неизвестно паренетично съчинение под формата на азбучен акростих (Предварително съобщение)* (Unpublished paraenetic work in the form of an alphabet acrostic. Preliminary announcement). – **Bărlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 352–367. With English summary. – This anonymous Slavonic work is based on Byzantine sources with archetypes in the Christian wisdom literature: Evagrius Ponticus, Palladius, Nilus of Sinai, Gregory of Theologian, Maximus Confessor, etc. There are 3 copies of the texts in Slavonic manuscripts (MSS 382 from Hillandar monastery, Mount Athos, 72 and 310 in Library of Romanian Academy of Sciences) and 3 unpublished copies in Byzantine manuscripts (Gr. 38 from Vatopedi monastery, Mount Athos, Gr. 126 from Russian State Library in Moscow and Theol. Gr. 167 from the Austrian National Library). The Slavonic translation of the text was made in Bulgaria and could be dated in the second half of 10th c. In appendix the parallel texts from Slavonic and Greek tradition are displayed. – Nikolov. [1812]

Nikolova G., *Псалтирните цитати в глаголическата бенедиктинска регула от остров Пашман* (The quotations from the Psalter in the Glagolitic Benedictine Rule from the Pašman island). *Palaeobulgarica* 33/3 (2009) 69–97. With En-

glish summary. – The Glagolitic manuscript, written in the 14th c. in the Tkon on the Croatia island of Pašman, is the oldest known Slavonic version of the Rule of the Benedictine order. According to its paleographic and linguistic features, the texts dates back to the 12th or even 11th c. The paper analyses different types of transmission of the quotations from the Psalter, widely used as a theological and illustrative argument by St. Benedict. – Nikolov. [1813

Peev D., *Архивският хронограф и Летописец Елински и Римски I редакция* (The Archivskiy Sbornik and the Elinskiy and Rimskiy Letopisets – first recension). *Starobălgarska literatura* 39–40 (2008) 104–131. With English summary. – The article deals with two Old Slavonic historical compilations. Although they are known only from Russian codices, they bear definite marks of the Bulgarian cultural doctrine from the 10th c. – Nikolov. [1814

Stančev K., *Incognita Cyrillomethodiana*. *Starobălgarska literatura* 39–40 (2008) 16–29. With English summary. – The article subjects to a critical analysis the interpretations of certain parts of the Life of St Cyril, XV and the Life of St Methodios, XV. 4. – Nikolov. [1815

Stankov R., *Древнеболгарский перевод Хроники Георгия Амартола в древнерусской письменной традиции* (Nr. 97). – Nikolov.

Zašev E., *Размисли за търновския книжовник Лаврентий от XIV в.* (Considerations about the 14th c. Târnovo man-of-letters Laurentios). *Starobălgarska literatura* 39–40 (2008) 184–196. With English summary. – The author suggests that Laurentios took care of a public library in the immediate proximity of the capital city and the Sbornik of 1348 was a hand book used for the education of Tsar Ivan Alexandăr's children. – Nikolov. [1816

B. PALÄOGRAPHIE, KODIKOLOGIE, DIPLOMATIK

Stănculescu I., *Cultură bizantină în manuscrise grecești și slavone (până la stârșitul secolului XV) păstrate în biblioteci bucureștene / Byzantine culture in Greek and Old Slavonic manuscripts (up to the end of the 15th century) in Bucharest repositories. – Manuscrise bizantine în colecții bucureștene / Byzantine manuscripts in Bucharest's collections*. (Nr. 216) 7–10, 61–63. – Berger. [1817

Moussakova E., *Изборното евангелие от Централната държавна библиотека в Букурещ и неговите части в сбирките на Рилския и на Зографския манастир* (The Gospel lectionary from the Central State Library in Bucharest and its parts in the collections of the Rile and Zograph monasteries). – **Bărlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 477–494. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1818

C. SPRACHE, METRIK, MUSIK

Ilieva T., *Антонимията в старобългарския език (Върху материали от старозаветните пророчески книги по ръкопис F.I.461 от Руската национална библиотека, Санкт Петербург)* (Antonymy in Old Bulgarian. On the basis of material from the Old Testament books of the prophets in MS F.I.461 from the Russian National Library in Saint Petersburg). *Palaeobulgarica* 33/4 (2009) 60–78. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1819]

Ilieva T., *Чуждата лексика в книгата на пророк Иезекиил по ръкопис F.I.461 от Руската национална библиотека в Санкт Петербург* (Foreign vocabulary in the Book of the prophet Ezekiel after Ms F.I.461 in the Russian National Library in Saint Petersburg). – **Bǎrlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 116–135. With English summary. – The article investigates the foreign vocabulary in the earliest Slavic copy of the Book of the prophet Ezekiel with commentaries by Theodoret of Cyrillus preserved in a manuscript from the 14th c. – Nikolov. [1820]

Kujumdžieva S., *Още веднъж за музиката през ранната старобългарска епоха (Преразглеждайки изворите от IX до XII в.)* (The music during the early Old-Bulgarian epoch once again. Reconsidering the sources from the 9th to the 12th c.). – **Bǎrlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 495–507. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1821]

Marcialis N., *Introduzione alla lingua paleoslava*. Biblioteca di Studi slavistici, 1. Firenze, Firenze University Press, 2005. vii, 287 p. ISBN 88-8453-333-3. – D'Aiuto. [1822]

Miltenov Y., *Песнивецът на цар Иван-Александър и глаголическата традиция* (The Pesnivec of Tsar Ivan Alexandăr [Psalterium Sofiensis] and Glagolitic tradition). – **Bǎrlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 399–405. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1823]

Mirčeva B., *За употребата на думата мъзда в славянския превод на Мъчението на св. Еразъм Охридски (Формийски) в Успенския сборник от XII в.* (On the use of the word мъзда in the Slavic translation of the Martyrdom of St Erasmus of Ohrid [of Formia] in the Uspenski Collection of the 12th c.). – **Bǎrlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 368–375. With English summary. – The correct use of the lexeme мъзда in the Slavic text and the μισθός in the Greek one corresponding to «merces» in the Latin version of the passage is supported with philological evidence of the use of these words with the same meaning in the Greek, Latin

and Slavic versions of the gospel text. The examples shows that in this case one cannot speak of a mistake made during a translations of the Vita of St Erasmus from Latin into Greek and not support the hypothesis that the Latin text was primary one. – Nikolov. [1824

Moussakova E., *Изборното евангелие от Централната държавна библиотека в Букурещ и неговите части в сбирките на Рилския и на Зографския манастир* (Nr. 1818). – Nikolov.

Popkonstantinov K./Miklas H., *Оловен амулет с глаголически текст* (A lead amulet with a Glagolitic text). – **Bǎrlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 385–398. With English summary. – It is written entirely in the Glagolitic script. – Nikolov. [1825

Stefova L., *Един препис на разказа “Кръчмарката Теофано” сред други шест преписа (Морфология и лексика)* (Comparison of a copy of the story of Theophano the tavern-keeper with six other copies of the work. Morphology and vocabulary). *Bǎlgarski ezik* 57/2 (2010) 86–97. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1826

Taseva L./Rabus A., *Преводачески и преписвачески грешки в славянската ръкописна традиция на книгата на пророк Иезекиил* (Übersetzungs- und Abschreibfehler in der kirchenslavischen handschriftlichen Tradition des Buches Ezechiel). – **Bǎrlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 136–151. Mit deutscher Zusammenfassung. – Die Typologie der geschilderten Fehler bestätigt und ergänzt die bekannten Mechanismen der Korruption eines Textes bei der Übersetzung aus dem Griechischen oder bei der Verbreitung auf slavischem Gebiet. Die attestierten Übersetzungsfehler unterstützen die These vom Übersetzen nach Diktat nicht. Stattdessen kann für alle Ungenauigkeiten ein graphischer Grund in den Besonderheiten der griechischen Minuskel gefunden werden. Auch die Abschreibfehler zeugen von einer vor allem visuellen Genese der Fehler. – Nikolov. [1827

Vitljanov S./Nikolov N., *Старобългарската терминология на занаятчийските постройки, съоръжения и инструменти* (Die altbulgarische Terminologie der Handwerkerbauten, Einrichtungen und Instrumente). – **Pavlovska Z./Boneva V./Radojnova D./Vitljanov S./Nedelčev N./Paraskevov V.** (Hrsg.), *Историкии 2. Научни изследвания в чест на доцент д-р Стоян Танев по случай неговата 70-годишнина* (Nr. 1692) 691–709. – Nikolov. [1828

Želyazkova V., *Описанието на скинията в старобългарския превод на Книга Изход* (Nr. 1878). – Nikolov.

D. KIRCHE UND THEOLOGIE

Alekseev A., *О времени и цели составления византийского лекционария* (Nr. 544). – Nikolov.

Angușeva A./Atanassova D./Bojadžiev A./Gagova N./Dimitrova M./Jovčeva M./Miltenova A./Slavova T./Stojkova A./Tasseva L., *История на българската средновековна литература* (Nr. 1810). – Nikolov.

Bodin P.-A., *Language, canonization and holy foolishness: studies in postsoviet Russian culture and the Orthodox tradition*. Stockholm Slavic Studies 38. Stockholm, Stockholm University 2009. 326 p. ISBN 978-91-8607-130-1. – Nilsson. [1829]

Božilov I., *Нови данни за манастира Св. Богородица Спилеотиса в Мелник* (Neue Auskünfte über das Kloster der Hl. Gottesmutter Spileotissa in Melnik). *Istoričesko bādeste* XI/1–2 (2007) 138–147. Mit englischer Zusammenfassung (S. 299). – Kommentiert die Auskünfte über das Kloster aus *Actes de Vatopédi*. I, Nr 11, 13; *Actes de Vatopédi*. II, Nr 120. – Nikolov. [1830]

Bruni A. M. (Hrsg.), *Византийская традиция и старославянский перевод Слов Григория Назианина* (Die byzantinische Tradition und die altslavische Übersetzung der Worte des Gregor von Nazianz). *Rossija i Christianskij Vostok*. Biblioteka, 9. Moskva, Rossijskaja Akademia nauk 2010. 287 S. ISBN 978-5-94067-273-9. – Byzantinische Überlieferung und altslavische Übersetzung der Predigten des Gregorios von Nazianzos. – Berger. [1831]

Češmedžiev D., *Българските светци в Псалтира на митрополит Киприан* (Die bulgarischen Heiligen im Psalmenbuch des Metropolitens Kiprian). – **Dončeva-Panajotova N.** (Hrsg.), *Киприянови четения 2. 600 години от Успението на св. Киприан, митрополит Московски* (Nr. 1724) 305–318. – Eingegangen wird auf die Frage nach der Einführung der Jerusalemer Regelung innerhalb der bulgarischen Kirche. – Nikolov. [1832]

Christova-Šomova I., *Един старобългарски празничен миней (Кирилската палимпсестна част на апостол Nr. 880 от НБКМ)* (An Old Bulgarian Festal Menaion. The Cyrillic palimpsest part of the Apostol no 880 of NBKM). *Palaeobulgarica* 33/2 (2009) 16–38. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1833]

Christova-Šomova I., *Елинският прочит на книгата на Йов в Септуагинта* (Nr. 408). – Nikolov.

Christova-Šomova I., *Службата за св. Теодор Тирон в старобългарския Драготин миней* (The Service of St. Theodore Tyron in the Old Bulgarian Dragota Menaion). *Bālgarski ezik* 57/2 (2010) 17–38. With English summary. – The Dragota Menaion is manuscript from the end of the 11th c. It is preserved in the palimpsest part of the Dragota Apostolos, Ms 880, National Library, Sofia. – Nikolov. [1834]

Čistiakova M., *Проложное житие святой Параскевы Эпиватской по списку НБКМ Nr. 167* (The Synaxarion Life of St Paraskeva of Epibates according Ms NBKM 167). *Palaeobulgarica* 33/2 (2009) 39–50. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1835]

Delikare A., *Ζητήματα ιστορικής γεωγραφίας των Βαλκανίων. I. Η Επισκοπή Αχρίδου και η μητρόπολη Μορ(ρ)αχρίδων*. (Nr. 320). – Kotzabassi.

Dogramadžieva E., *Месецословните четива в славянските ръкописни евангелия (X–XVII в.)* (The Menologion lections in Slavonic manuscript Gospels, 10th–17th cc.). *Cyrillo-Methodian Studies* 19 (2010) 3–552. With English summary (546–551). – Very useful study. – Nikolov. [1836]

Dogramadžieva E., *Местоположението на подвижните дни в неподвижния календар от славянските евангелски ръкописи* (The position of the movable days in the calendar of fixed feasts in the Slavonic Gospel Manuscripts). – **Bärleiva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 202–214. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1837]

Dončeva-Panajotova N., *Светителската дейност на митрополит Киприан в Русия в текстове и миниатюри* (Die Metropolitentätigkeit des Kiprian in Russland in Texten und Miniaturen). – **Dončeva-Panajotova N.** (Hrsg.), *Киприянови четения 2. 600 години от Успението на св. Киприан, митрополит Московски* (Nr. 1724) 63–81. 19 Ill. – Systematisiert die Auskünfte über den hl. Kiprian. – Nikolov. [1838]

Džurova A./Velinova V., *Литургичната дейност на митрополит Киприан и извори за нея в италианските хранилища* (Die liturgische Tätigkeit des Metropolit Kiprian und die Quellen zu ihr in den italienischen Archiven). – **Dončeva-Panajotova N.** (Hrsg.), *Киприянови четения 2. 600 години от Успението на св. Киприан, митрополит Московски* (Nr. 1724) 119–133. 9 Ill. – Nikolov. [1839]

Ferro M. C., *Santità e agiografia al femminile. Forme letterarie, tipologie e modelli nel mondo slavo orientale (X–XVII sec.)*. Biblioteca di Studi Slavistici, 11. Firenze, Firenze University Press 2010. 271 p. ISBN 978-88-8453-597-9. – D'Aiuto. [1840]

Gadalova G., *Тверские рукописи как источник сведений о митрополите Киприане* (Die Manuskripte aus Tver als Quelle der Auskünfte über den Metropolit Kiprian). – **Dončeva-Panajotova N.** (Hrsg.), *Киприянови четения 2. 600 години от Успението на св. Киприан, митрополит Московски* (Nr. 1724) 237–244. – Nikolov. [1841]

Getcha J., *Deux sources slaves pour l'histoire du Synaxaire constantinopolitain*. – **Galadza D./Glibetić N./Radle G.**, *Τοξότης. Studies for Stefano Parenti*. (Nr. 1683) 177–197. – Velkovska. [1842]

Getcha J., *La réforme liturgique du métropolite Cyprien de Kiev*. Liminaire du Patriarche œcuménique Bartholomée. Préface de R. Taft, SJ. Patrimoines Orthodoxie. Paris, Cerf 2010. 587 p. ISBN 978-2-204-09129-9. – Velkovska. [1843

Iliev I., *За краткото житие на св. Климент Охридски* (About the short life of St Kliment of Ohrid). – **Bǎrlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 81–91. With English summary. – The author of the Vita brevis of St Kliment is Demetrios Chomathenos, archbishop of Bulgarian Church in Ohrid in the second and third decade of the 13th c. – Nikolov. [1844

Iliev I., *Охридският архиепископ Димитър Хоматиан и българите* (Nr. 1887). – Nikolov.

Ivanova K., *Bibliotheca Hagiographica Balcano-Slavica*. Sofia, Akademichno izdatelstvo «Prof. Marin Drinov» 2008. 720 S. ISBN 978-954-322-263-6. – Ein erster Systematisierungsversuch über Viten und Predigten aus dem Repertoire südslawischer (bulgarischer und serbischer) Manuskripte sowie über die in der Walachei und in der Moldau geschriebenen Codices. Der Titel (Kürzel BHBS) ist als Analogon zum grundlegenden Handbuch über byzantinische Hagiographie (BHG) von H. Delehaye und F. Halkin formuliert. Das BHBS erfasst 209 Manuskripte und Fragmente, chronologische Reichweite ist vom 11. bis zum 17. Jh. Das Material ist nach dem Kalender geordnet. Überaus wertvolles Nachschlagewerk im Bereich der slawischen Hagiographie. Die Arbeit ist auf hohem wissenschaftlichem Niveau mit der charakteristischen Präzision von K. Ivanova. Das Vorwort, das auf die Herangehensweise an das Buch verweist, ist ins Russische (S. 22–37) und Englische (S. 38–51) übersetzt. Im Anhang ist ein Katalog der verwendeten Manuskripte sowie Incipitarium und Register: der Heiligen und Festtage, der griechischen Namen der Heiligen und der Festtage, der Autoren, dazu ein chronologisches Register der verwendeten Manuskripte. Mit umfangreicher Bibliographie. – Nikolov. [1845

Ivanova K., *Житие св. Григория Великого (BHG 721) в славянской кириллической традиции* (Nr. 501). – Nikolov.

Ivanova K., *За два светогорски кодекса, съдържащи слова на Йоан Екзарх* (On two Athonite codices containing orations by John Exarch). – **Bǎrlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 228–247. With English summary. – The first codex is Bulgarian and belongs to the Zograph Monastery. It has call number II.в.3 (Zogr. 94). It dates from the third quarter of the 14th c. and is a reading menologion for November and December. The second codex is Serbian and is dated to the 60ies or 70ies of the 14th c. Its call number in the library of the Hilendar Monastery is 1457. Appendix: Zogr. 94. – Nikolov. [1846

Ivanova M., *Пространното житие на св. Константин-Кирил във великите чети-минеи на митрополит Макарий* (The long life of St Constantine-Cyril in

the great reading Menaia of Metropolitan Makary). – **Bǎrlieva S./Graševa L./Dogramadžieva E./Slavova T./Filipova G.** (eds.), *Средновековието в огледалото на един филолог. Сборник в чест на Светлина Николова* (Nr. 1682) 43–62. With English summary. – Russian metropolitan Makary (16th c.). – Nikolov. [1847]

Kenanov D., *Митрополит Киприан и новият Евтимиев превод на «Лествицата»* (Der Metropolit Kiprian und die neue Ewtimi'sche Übersetzung von «Lestviza»). – **Dončeva-Panajotova N.** (Hrsg.), *Киприянови четения 2. 600 години от Успението на св. Киприан, митрополит Московски* (Nr. 1724) 165–190. – Im Anhang: ein altbulgarischer Text der Vita des hl. Johannes Klimakos. – Nikolov. [1848]

Konjavskaja E., *Штрихи к биографии митрополита Киприана по тверским летописным источникам* (Striche zur Biographie des Metropoliten Kiprian nach Quellen aus den Chroniken Tvers). – **Dončeva-Panajotova N.** (Hrsg.), *Киприянови четения 2. 600 години от Успението на св. Киприан, митрополит Московски* (Nr. 1724) 145–156. – Nikolov. [1849]

Kriza Á., *Византийские источники богословия иконы в «Послании иконописцу»* (Byzantine sources of theology of icons in the “Letter to the Iconographer”). *Studia Slavica Hungarica* 54 (2009) 161–187, 407–427. – Juhász. [1850]

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Rašev R. (†), *Цар Симеон историкът* (Zar Simeon der Historiker). – **Pavlovskia Z./Boneva V./Radojnova D./Vitljanov S./Nedelčev N./Paraskevov V.** (Hrsg.), *Историкии 2. Научни изследвания в чест на доцент д-р Стоян Танев по случай неговата 70-годишнина* (Nr. 1692) 76–83. – Kommentiert Auskünfte über die Geschichtskenntnisse des bulgarischen Zaren Simeon (893–927). Verwendet vorwiegend Briefe des Konstantinopeler Patriarchen Nikolaos I. Mystikos. In einem kurzen Anhang wird auf historische Personifikationen von Herrschern des frühmittelalterlichen Bulgarien in den byzantinischen Quellen verwiesen: Khan Krum (796–814) wird mit dem assyrischen Herrscher Senaherim (705–680) und Khan Boris I./Michael (852–889) mit dem Kaiser Konstantin dem Großen verglichen (306–337). – Nikolov. [1890]

Slavova T., *Владетел и администрация в ранносредновековна България. Филологически аспекти* (Der Herrscher und die Amtsträger im frühmittelalterlichen Bulgarien. Philologische Aspekte). Sofia, Izdatelstvo «PAM Publishing Company» 2010. 342 S. ISBN 978-954-92526-5-1. Bulgarisch, mit einer kurzen Zusammenfassung in englischer Sprache (S. 340–342). – Eine originelle Untersuchung, gewidmet den Titeln und den Ämtern im bulgarischen Khanat/Zarenreich bis 1018. Der Hauptteil der Arbeit gilt den protobulgarischen Titeln und Ämtern. Behandelt werden die Titel des bulgarischen Herrschers in den byzantinischen Quellen sowie der Prozess der Slawisierung bulgarischer Titel und Ämter. Das Buch ist aufschlussreich sowohl für die Byzantinistik und Bulgaristik als auch für die Turkologie. Mit reichhaltiger Bibliographie. In einer kleiner Schrift gedruckt, die das Lesen erschwert. – Nikolov. [1891]

Slavova T., *Титулът таркан – почетно звание и/или длъжност* (Tarkan – an honorific title and/or an administrative function)? *Starobălgarska literatura* 39–40 (2008) 30–44. With English summary. – Comments on the usage of the title and its double function in epigraphic and literary monuments from the 9th/10th c. (i.e. Proto-Bulgarian inscriptions, Greek sources, Slavic original and translated works). – Nikolov. [1892]

F. GEOGRAPHIE, TOPOGRAPHIE, ETHNOGRAPHIE

Bonev Ć., *Праславянските племена. Част IV (JI–Я) (The Proto-Slavic tribes. Part III. [L–J])*. Sofia, 2010. 203 p. ISBN 978-954-8697-09-5. Bulgarian with English summary (p. 173). – Nikolov. [1893]

Dapergolas N., *Τοπωνυμικά και ανθρωπωνυμικά τεκμήρια σλαβικών εγκαταστάσεων στην περιοχή του Παγγαίου κατά τη μέση βυζαντινή περίοδο*. (Nr. 815). – Kotzabassi.

Stančeva M., *София от древността до нови времена* (Nr. 726). – Nikolov.

Žekova Ž., *Походът на Исаак II Ангел в България от 1190 година. Опит за нумизматична реконструкция според данните от колективните монетни находки (The military campaign of Isaac II Angelos in Bulgaria from 1190. An attempt for numismatic reconstruction according to hoards)*. – **Karajotov I./Jordanov I./Rašev R./Nedelčev N.** (eds.), *Юбилеен сборник в чест на доц. д-р Стоян Витлянов по случай неговата 60-годишнина* (Nr. 1700) 117–123. With English summary. – A number of hoards found in Bulgaria traces the route once from Constantinople to Târnovo and back. Interesting. – Nikolov. [1894]

G. ARCHÄOLOGIE UND KUNSTGESCHICHTE

a. Ostslavischer Bereich

Dmitrieva S., *The depiction of warrior saints in the frescoes of 1380 at the Holy Saviour in Kovaliovo. Whether Balkan masters painted the Novgorod church?* Zograf 33 (2009) 121–135. 15 photos, 2 drawings. With Serbian summary. – The analysis of the selection, iconography and style of the warrior saints in the Kovaliovo church confirms that its master-painters originated from a Balkan center closely linked to Thessaloniki. At the same time, it seems that the best pieces of the Kovaliovo fresco paintings bear the legacy of Theophanes the Greek. Thus, the theory that the Kovaliovo frescoes resemble the art of the Morava school in Serbia, established by V. N. Lazarev, should be rejected. – Krsmanović. [1895]

Starodubcev T., *Култ Богородице Ζωοδόχος Πηγή и његов одјек у сликарству у доба Палеолога* (Nr. 1134). – Dželebdžić.

b. Südslavischer Bereich

Aleksiev J., *За средновековните църкви-гробници от столичния Търнов (About the cemeterial churches in capital Târnovo)*. – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In*

memoriam (Nr. 1652) 271–283. num. ills. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1896]

Aleksiev J., *Църква Nr. 10 на Царевец* (Church Nr 10 from Tsarevets). – **Petrunova B./Aladžov A./Vassileva E.** (éds.), *Laurea. In honorem Margaritae Vaklinova. Bd. II.* (Nr. 1695) 255–259. num. ill. – Church in the medieval Bulgarian capital Tarnovo, with a monastery from the early 14th c. – Nikolov. [1897]

Angelova S. (†), *Отново за т. нар. пастирска керамика* (Erneut über die sog. Hirtenkeramik). – **Dončeva-Petkova L./Neševa V./Aladžov A.** (Hrsg.), *Приноси към българската археология* (Nr. 1793) 13–17. – Ein polemischer Artikel. In den Ländern südlich der Donau wird diese Keramik massenweise vom Ende des 7. bis Ende des 9. Jh.s hergestellt. – Nikolov. [1898]

Apostolov K., *Накити със зооморфни и антропоморфни изображения от некропола край град Омуртаз* (Jewelry with zoomorphic and anthropomorphic images from necropolis near Omurtag town). – **Petrunova B./Aladžov A./Vassileva E.** (éds.), *Laurea. In honorem Margaritae Vaklinova. Bd. II.* (Nr. 1695) 272–277. num. ills. With English summary. – Northeastern Bulgaria, dated to the 9th–13th. – Nikolov. [1899]

Balabanov T., *Костена апликация с изображение на слон от Велики Преслав* (A bone application with an image of elephant from Veliki Preslav). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 155–164. 5 ills. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1900]

Barakov V., *Крепостното строителство по горното течение на реките Росица и Янтра през късната античност и средновековието* (Fortress-building along the upper courses of the rivers Rositsa and Yantra in Late Antiquity and the Mediaeval period). *Arheologia* 51/1–2 (2010) 47–60. num. ills. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1901]

Bonev S., *Амулет „печенежки“ тип – за първи път в Преслав* («Pecheneg» type of amulet – found for the first time in Veliki Preslav). – **Dončeva-Petkova L./Neševa V./Aladžov A.** (Hrsg.), *Приноси към българската археология* (Nr. 1793) 178–182. With English summary. – Dated to the 11th c. – Nikolov. [1902]

Bonev S., *Преславската резба върху кост (стари творби нови находки)* (Preslav bone-cutting. Old works and new finds). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 143–153. 6 photos. With English summary. – Bone pieces from the 10th c. of Veliki Preslav's bone-cutting workshops. – Nikolov. [1903]

Christova M., *Керамични съдове от биритуалния некропол в Балчик* (Clay vessels from the biritual necropolis in Balchik). – **Dončeva-Petkova L./Neševa V./Aladžov A.** (Hrsg.), *Приноси към българската археология* (Nr. 1793) 72–84.

With English summary. – Northeastern Bulgaria, dated to the late 7th–8th c. – Nikolov. [1904

Čokoev I., *За предназначението на одеждата с монограми на цар Иван Александър (1331–1371) от разкопките на храма “Св. Никола” до с. Станичене, Пиротско* (Nr. 1346). – Nikolov.

Cvetković B., *Two medieval swords from the Regional Museum in Jagodina*. *Starinar* 59 (2009) 237–246. 4 fig. With Serbian summary. – One of these swords was found near the Kalinić monastery and the second one near the town of Čuprija. The author rejects the typological classification of the first sword existing in scholarly literature, and suggests that both specimens probably originated from the same workshop. – Dželebdžić. [1905

Dermendžiev E., *Северната кула на средновековната крепост на хълма Трапезица във Велико Търново* (The north tower of the mediaeval fortress on the Trapezitsa Hill in Veliko Tŕnovo). *Arheologia* 50/3–4 (2009) 48–67. num. ill. With English summary. – Present the building periods (13th–14th c.). – Nikolov. [1906

Dimitrova D., *Боянската черква (археологическо проучване 1985–1991 г.)* (Die Kirche von Bojana. Eine archäologische Untersuchung 1985–1991). – **Pavlovska Z./Boneva V./Radojnova D./Vitljanov S./Nedelčev N./Paraskevov V.** (Hrsg.), *Историки 2. Научни изследвания в чест на доцент д-р Стоян Танев по случай неговата 70-годишнина* (Nr. 1692) 710–726. – *Ergebnisse der Ausgrabungen*. – Nikolov. [1907

Dončeva S., *Двустранна бронзова икона с изображения на Христос Пантократор и Богородица Кириотиса от района на Преслав* (Two-sided bronze icon with Christ Pantocrator and the Virgin Kiriotisa [Nikopeya] from the Veliki Preslav region). – **Dončeva-Petkova L./Neševa V./Aladžov A.** (Hrsg.), *Приноси към българската археология* (Nr. 1793) 170–177. num. ill. With English summary. – Dated to the 11th–12th c. – Nikolov. [1908

Dončeva S., *Двустранна оловна икона (евлогия) от Преслав* (A bilateral lead icon [Evlogia] from Veliki Preslav). – **Petrunova B./Aladžov A./Vassileva E.** (éds.), *Laurea. In honorem Margaritae Vaklinova. Bd. II.* (Nr. 1695) 219–228. num. ill. With English summary. – With relief images of Christ Pantocrator and Mother of God, made in Constantinople or a provincial Byzantine atelier, dated to the 11th c. – Nikolov. [1909

Dončeva-Petkova L./Tihov T., *За един тип кръстове-енколпиони и производството им в средновековна България* (About a type of enkolpia and their production in medieval Bulgaria). – **Vaklinova M./Stereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 223–230. 12 photos. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1910

Filipović A., *Хипотеза о пројектовању унутрашњег простора цркве Ђурђеви ступови* (L'ipotesi sulla progettazione dello spazio della chiesa Djurdjevi stu-

povi). *Starinar* 59 (2009) 221–236. 5 drawings, 8 photos. With Italian summary. – Krsmanović. [1911]

Georgieva R., *Гроб на знатна преславска дама от XIII в.* (A grave of a Veliki Preslav noble lady from the 13th c.). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 259–264. num. ill. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1912]

Gizdova N., *Некрополът на крепостта Цепина при с. Дорково, Пазрджийско* (The necropolis of the Tsepina fortress, Pazardzhik district). – **Dončeva-Petkova L./Neševa V./Aladžov A.** (Hrsg.), *Приноси към българската археология* (Nr. 1793) 258–289. With English summary. – Dated to the 11th–12th c. The necropolis ceased to function in the late 12th or early 13th c. when the fortress was constructed. – Nikolov. [1913]

Iacubovschi O., *Der Akathistos Hymnos im 16. Jahrhundert. Narthexprogramm der Klosterkirchen in der Wallachei.* *Revue des études sud-est européennes* 48 (2010) 77–90. – Berger. [1914]

Ivanov I., *Върху датирането и стилистичните особености на старинна българска икона на св. Йоан Богослов, намерена в гр. Демир Капия, Република Македония* (Über die Datierung und stilistischen Besonderheiten einer alten bulgarischen Ikone Johannes' des Theologen, gefunden in Demir Kapija, Republik Makedonien). – **Charitonov Ch.** (Hrsg.), *От регионалното към националното. Юбилеен сборник в чест на чл. кор. проф. дмн Йордан Йорданов* (Nr. 1668) 168–179. – Eine kleine steinerne Ikone mit dem Bildnis Johannes' des Theologen (10.–12. Jh.). Gefunden bei archäologischen Ausgrabungen in Prosek 1950–1952, gegenwärtig aufbewahrt in Skopje. Der Autor präzisiert die griechische Inschrift und macht auf die Ikonographie (Haartracht des Heiligen) aufmerksam. Die Ikone steht in enger Beziehung zu mehreren Werken der bulgarischen Reliefplastik aus der Zeit vor und unmittelbar nach der Christianisierung der Bulgaren. – Nikolov. [1915]

Karailiev P., *Военна сграда до Северната порта на крепостта Трапезица във Велико Търново* (The military building by the North Gate of the Trapezitsa Castle in Veliko Tŕnovo). *Arheologia* 50/3–4 (2009) 68–76. num. ill. With English summary. – Dated to the 13th–14th c. – Nikolov. [1916]

Komitova T., *Сграфито керамика от Никополis ad Нестум* (Sgraffito pottery from Nicopolis ad Nestum). – **Petrinova B./Aladžov A./Vassileva E.** (éds.), *Laurea. In honorem Margaritae Vaklinova. Bd. II.* (Nr. 1695) 279–298. Num. ill. With English summary. – Mostly polychrome pottery. Colored glaze, underglaze spots and stripes in deep brown, yellow-brown and green emphasize separate ornaments and give a rich color of the decoration, as the preference for green is noticeable. With parallels from Melnik, Seres, Thessalonica. – Nikolov. [1917]

Manolova-Vojkova M., *За характера на керамиката във Велики Преслав през XIII в.* (About the nature of pottery in Veliki Preslav in to the 13th c.). –

Petrunova B./Aladžov A./Vassileva E. (éds.), *Laurea. In honorem Margaritae Vaklinova. Bd. II.* (Nr. 1695) 207–218. With English summary. – The presence of imports from Tărnovo, Mesembria and Byzantine centers can be regarded as a reliable indicator of trade contacts, which the settlement supports during this period with the adjacent world. – Nikolov. [1918]

Milanova A., *Амвон от Созопол от края на XI-началото на XII в. Към проблема за средновековните амвони* (Nr. 921). – Nikolov.

Moreva-Arabova R., *За диадемата от Велинградското съкровище* (About the diadem from the Velingrad treasure). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 265–268. 3 photos. With English summary. – The diadem belongs to a treasure discovered in Velingrad (in the West Rhodopi mountains), which in 1926 was bought by the Archaeological museum in Plovdiv. It consists of 12 knuckle-joint rectangular copper plates. The lamellae are gilded, silvered and additionally decorated with filigrees, granules and inlaying of enamels. Dated to the second half of the 14th c. – Nikolov. [1919]

Neševa V., *Бронзов катинар със зооморфно изображение от църквата „Св. Никола“ в Мелник* (A bronze padlock with a zoomorphic figure from the church «St. Nicolas» in Melnik). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 231–237. ill. With English summary. – The padlock in the form of a goat found in the old Metropolitan's church in Melnik. Dated to the 10th–14th/15th c. – Nikolov. [1920]

Neševa V., *Мелнишкият манастир „Св. Богородица Спилеотиса“ („Св. Зона“) в нови документи* (Nr. 1861). – Nikolov.

Pavlović D., *Богородичин циклус у Благовештенској цркви манастира Градца* (Nr. 1132). – Krsmanović.

Penkova B., *Образът на св. Йоан Рилски в Боянската църква* (The image of St John of Rila in the Boyana church). *Starobălgarska literatura* 39–40 (2008) 163–183. 8 b/w ills. With English summary. – The oldest preserved image of St John of Rila, dating from 1259. The formation of his iconography is a part of the development of the saint's cult in the capital of Tărnovo after 1195 when his relics were translated there from Sredec. The article raises the question if some depictions of St John of Rila were created in Sredec (where his relics were kept for more than a century and where a local cult was formed). According to the author the few images of St. John of Rila dating before the 15th c. could be divided in two groups, defined as «Sredec type» and «Tărnovo type». The painting in the Boyana church belongs to the former. – Nikolov. [1921]

Rabovyanov D., *За употребата на пращката като оръжие в средновековна България* (The using of sling for war in Mediaeval Bulgaria). – **Petrunova B./Aladžov A./Vassileva E.** (éds.), *Laurea. In honorem Margaritae Vaklinova. Bd. II.* (Nr. 1695) 261–269. 2 ills. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1922]

Radeva M., *Оловна ампула от Сливен* (Nr. 1251). – Nikolov.

Rašev R. (†), *Още за елена като символ в Първото българско царство* (More about deer as a symbol in the first Bulgarian Tsardom). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 121–127. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1923]

Rašev R. (†), *Още за християнския смисъл на някои „прабългарски“ знаци* (Something else on the Christian meaning of some «Protobulgarian» signs). – **Karajotov I./Jordanov I./Rašev R./Nedelčev N.** (eds.), *Юбилеен сборник в чест на доц. д-р Стоян Витлянов по случай неговата 60-годишнина* (Nr. 1700) 25–31. ill. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1924]

Rašev R. (†), *Попина – Градицето (Калето): антична крепост и ранносредновековно землено укрепление* (Popina – Gradishteto [Kaletto]: A antic fortress and early mediaeval earthen fortification). – **Dončeva-Petkova L./Neševa V./Aladžov A.** (Hrsg.), *Приноси към българската археология* (Nr. 1793) 85–93. num. ill. With English summary. – The fortress is one of the three Roman castles on the Limes that were used by the Bulgarian Khanat after 681. – Nikolov. [1925]

Starodubcev T., *Култ Богородице Ζωοδόχος Πηγή и његов одјек у сликарству у доба Палеолога* (Nr. 1134). – Dželebdžić.

Štereva I., *Новооткрита поклонническа ампула от Велики Преслав* (A newly discovered pilgrim's ampulla from Veliki Preslav). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 243–249. ill. With English summary. – On one side is depicted the Virgin Orans with the Child in front of her chest. On the other side is St. Demetrios as a warrior. Dated to the 12th c. – Nikolov. [1926]

Totev K., *За изображенията върху оловна ампула – кутрувия от музея в Шумен* (The images on a lead ampulla-kutruvia from Shumen museum). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 251–257. ill. With English summary. – With images of St. Demetrios and St. Nestor. Dated to the 13th c. – Nikolov. [1927]

Totev K., *Нагръдна икона с изображения на св. Георги-войн и Христос Пантократор* (A pectoral icon with images of St George-Warrior and Christ Pantocrator). – **Petrunova B./Aladžov A./Vassileva E.** (éds.), *Laurea. In honorem Margaritae Vaklinova. Bd. II.* (Nr. 1695) 305–309. 4 ill. With English summary. – Stone icon with silver facing. Dated to the second half of 13th-the beginning of the 14th c. – Nikolov. [1928]

Totev K., *Новооткрита църква (Nr. 19) в средновековния град Трапезица* (A newly discovered church [Nr. 19] in the mediaeval town of Trapezitsa).

Arheologia 50/3–4 (2009) 77–91. num. ill. With English summary. – Veliko Tŕrnovo, Bulgaria. – Nikolov. [1929]

Totev T., *Д-р Иванка Акрабова-Жандова и преславската рисувана керамика* (Ph.D. Ivanka Akrabova-Jandova and the painted pottery from Preslav). – **Vaklinova M./Štereva I./Neševa V./Dimitrov P./Manolova-Vojkova M.** (eds.), *Иванка Акрабова Жандова. In memoriam* (Nr. 1652) 1–5. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1930]

Totev T., *За една колекция средновековни керамични икони от Търновград и Червен* (Über eine Sammlung mittelalterlicher keramischer Ikonen aus Tŕrnovo und Červen). – **Pavlovska Z./Boneva V./Radojnova D./Vitljanov S./Nedelčev N./Paraskevov V.** (Hrsg.), *Историкии 2. Научни изследвания в чест на доцент д-р Стоян Танев по случай неговата 70-годишнина* (Nr. 1692) 680–690. – 15 winzige Reliefikonen aus dem 13.–14. Jh. – Nikolov. [1931]

Totev T., *Още за един кръст-енколпион от Велики Преслав* (On a rare Enkolpion cross from Veliki Preslav). – **Karajotov I./Jordanov I./Rašev R./Nedelčev N.** (eds.), *Юбилеен сборник в чест на доц. д-р Стоян Витлянов по случай неговата 60-годишнина* (Nr. 1700) 32–38. With English summary. – Nikolov. [1932]

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